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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, with occasional showers; fresh south winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Occasional showers; fresh south winds.

Sunrise, 6:43; sunset, 4:44; moon sets 4:32 a.m. Saturday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Wind 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 6 miles; 5 p.m., south; velocity, 9 miles. At midnight the temperature was 54 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 52 deg.; cloudy.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours to 5 p.m. yesterday by Weather Bureau rain gauge, .59 inch; season to date, 4.06 inches; to same date last season, 1.19 inches; normal, 2.24 inches.

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POINTS OF THE NEWS
IN TODAY'S ISSUE.

The City.

Wonderful activity at San Pedro harbor; all records in arrivals broken in the last week.

Women of many parts of the country make complaints as to the peculiar operations of Los Angeles concern that conducts "spoon-making" establishment.

Commander of French warship at San Pedro enters serious complaint because of inability to get fresh water, at same time paying high compliment to harbor.

Volley ball, new game here, excites interest of girls of the Young Women's Christian Association, and merry battles are fought.

Pleas of riot disturbs residents of East Forty-eighth street, who appeal to Fire Commissioners for relief.

Chamber of Commerce starts another movement for good government of Los Angeles.

Jewish daughters, seeking share of father's estate, makes serious charges against stepmother.

Young woman accused of smuggling opium to prisoner in City Jail almost escapes trial through technicality.

Railroad officials declare there will be no formal rate for San Pedro.

Council fails to make changes in the fire limits.

Southern California.

Presentation of historic stage robbery will be feature of Tournament of Roses programme at Pasadena.

Two drunken sailors turn on gas in room in San Pedro hotel and are suffocated.

Colton Trustees reject advice of City Attorney in electrical energy contract fight.

Woman octogenarian, pioneer resident of Monrovia, dies.

San Bernardino Street Superintendent dismissed by order of Mayor.

Owing to chaotic condition of Charter Revision Committee's work, Long Beach Council defers action till City Attorney carefully studies instrument.

Authors go to Imperial Valley to find local color for stories.

El Centro merchants petition the Espee for night train service to Los Angeles.

Pacific Slope.

Two men said to be getting rich collecting funds in Seattle, ostensibly for widows and orphans of railway trainmen.

Bank clearings in Coast cities show large gains over last year.

Defendant who lost case wants rehearing since Justice Root resigned.

Woman who wanted to become engaged to every man she knew sent to insane asylum.

Cook county, Or., to have big rabbit drive.

School principal shocked in taking hold of wire fence charged with electricity by pupils.

Police seek clew to sender of poisons which killed Harry Boaz.

General Eastern.

Oil man allowed by family to die on Indian prairies, and body falls prey to wolves and coyotes.

John W. Gates goes into circus business to make money.

Isaac C. Wetmore, Democratic treasurer, said to have used up in personal expenses his $1000 contribution to Bryan fund.

President-elect Taft will take no part in Ohio Senatorial fight.

Delegates at mining congress in Pittsburgh witness test explosions.

Margaret Illington announces that she has permanently left stage to enjoy domestic life.

Washington.

Protest of Southern California vegetable growers to increase of freight rates imposed by Interstate Commerce Commission.

Ways and Means Committee extends time on tariff hearing to December 19.

Foreign.

Proposed changes in French tariff law, if adopted, will deal hard blow to many American manufactured articles.

Sir Hiram Maxim warns British nation of danger of flying machines in warfare in case of hostilities with Germany.

Russian shipowner sentenced to six months' imprisonment for criminal negligence in connection with sinking of ferry.

Financial.

Fluctuations of stock market enable dealers to reap harvest of profits by quick turns.

SUICIDE FOLLOWS RESIGNATION.

Timothy R. Palmer, Former President of Minnesota Life Insurance Company, Shoots Himself.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Dec. 3.—Timothy R. Palmer, who resigned last Friday as president of the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head at his residence today. Mr. Palmer had been in ill health for the past year and at times he had been unable to attend to the duties of his position as president of the insurance company.

HAYTI.

LOOTERS KILLED.

Twelve Shot Down in Streets.

Port au Prince Rescued from Pillaging Mob by Force of Citizens.

Deposed President, Nord Alexis, Heart-broken by Treachery.

Gen. Simon, Leader of Revolution, Rushing Army to Capital.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PORT AU PRINCE (Hayti) Dec. 3.—For many hours during the night following the flight of Nord Alexis, riot and pillage prevailed in Port au Prince. The populace, maddened by the spirit of revolt, turned from the skiff that carried their deposed president to the French training ship Duguay Trouin and gave full vent to its passions. It looted stores and residences, fought over the booty, and was held in check only by an armed force hastily gathered together by Gen. Poidevin, which fired a volley into the mob and drove the rioters from street to street and finally into seclusion. Twelve persons were killed and many were wounded before order was restored.

So serious did the situation become that a committee of public safety, composed of the most prominent military leaders, was organized. Scores of citizens were placed under arms to assist the loyal troops in patrolling the city, and comparative tranquillity now reigns.

THREAT OF MARINES.

The American, French and German ministers decided early in the morning that they could trust to the arrangements made by the committee to maintain order, but they jointly gave notification that if trouble ensued again they would land forces from warships. Those already here were reinforced at daybreak by the United States gunboat Eagle and the British cruiser Scylla.

Nord Alexis, who spent a restless night on board the Duguay Trouin, has been the object of much consideration on the part of the commander of the ship and the officers. There is something in the wonderful virility of the fallen President that calls for admiration.

Past 90 years—how many years beyond that mark nobody knows—Nord Alexis faced his foes with the strength and determination of a man in the very prime of life. Not until he saw his people, those he had fought for and ruled, in front of the palace crying for his life, did he realize that they had turned against him.

Only then did he accept the protection of the French flag.

ALEXIS IS BROKEN-HEARTED.

The President is broken-hearted over the attitude of his people in the capital, of whose hostility, he declared, he had been entirely ignorant.

"They always cheered me when I appeared in the streets," he said mournfully. "I have always labored for their good."

For the first time Nord Alexis expressed today his views with regard to the summary executions which took place on March 15 last, when many men were shot to death by order of Gen. Leconte. He had always been convinced, he said, that these men had been killed during an attack on the palace; his officials and those on whom he depended had kept back the truth from him. But he had learned the truth later, and considered this act a very unfortunate one.

The looting last night began shortly after the President had been escorted to the French cruiser Duguay Trouin by M. Carteron, the French Minister.

LOOTERS AT WORK.

People from the Belair and Salines sections of the city invaded the business quarter and lost no time in turning to the work of pillage and robbery. They divided into bands and worked their way down one street and up another, breaking into the stores that offered the best chances of loot. The locks of doors that barred their progress were broken with rifle bullets. The pillage was well under way by 8 o'clock, and by 10 o'clock eleven stores had been completely looted, nine of which were owned by Syrians and two by Haytians.

The proprietors stood by, helpless, witnessing the destruction of their property.

Goods were hauled out into the street and divided among the mob. As was to be expected, the crowd became enraged over the division of the spoils and were soon fighting among themselves. In these encounters four men were killed.

At 10 o'clock the situation was very threatening. The looters were increasing rapidly in numbers, and it was feared the disorder would spread over the entire city.

POLICE REFUSE AID.

The people were rapidly getting out of hand, when Gen. Poidevin appeared on the scene and saved the situation. He went first to police headquarters and ordered a detachment of men to follow him to the scene of the trouble. The police, however, refused.

The general then got together a number of courageous citizens to whom he issued arms and rounded up a small detachment of local soldiers al-

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Dr. William T. Bull,
noted New York surgeon who is near death.

DARK ANGEL.

DR. BULL IS SLOWLY DYING.

END OF EMINENT SURGEON IS HOURLY EXPECTED.

Suffering With Cancer, Physician Has Fought Valiantly to Stave Off Disease so That He Might Finish Sittings Before Woman Sculptor, Who Is Making Bust.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The death of Dr. William T. Bull, the eminent New York surgeon, is hourly expected. Early today is was said that he was weaker and his case more critical than at any previous time during his illness.

Dr. Bull has been suffering with cancer and he realized recently that the end was near.

When the disease first made its appearance the surgeon was having a bust made of himself by Miss Enid Yandell, who gained considerable fame by her work at the Chicago World's Fair. Knowing that he was doomed he continued the sittings as often as possible in order to have the likeness completed before death.

By his perseverance and will power the bust was finished and has been cast in bronze.

GLAMOR GONE.

QUITS FAME FOR FIRESIDE.

MARGARET ILLINGTON LEAVES THE STAGE.

Famous Emotional Actress Says She Is Going to Enjoy Pleasures of Home and Will Live Quietly With Her Husband, Daniel Frohman. Woman's Duty.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weary of the plaudits of thousands, tired of the glamor of the footlights, and the ceaseless and grinding labor demanded of the modern emotional actress, Margaret Illington, is coming home to rest.

"I am going home to pass the rest of my days in peace and in the work that should be every woman's ambition, become a good wife at my own fireside, surrounded by my own people gleaning happiness from their happiness and joy in their love," said Miss Illington today, when it was announced that she had forever forsaken the stage.

In private life Miss Illington is Mrs. Daniel Frohman, wife of the great theatrical magnate, under whose management she has been for several years.

Mr. Frohman heartily approves of his wife's professional retirement.

"Of course I regret leaving my friends of the stage and abandoning the life which I have worshiped for years. But all regrets are lost in the joys of anticipation of quiet, rest and love at my own hearthstone and with my own people.

"I believe a woman owes something to herself and to her own. The public praise and the applause of hundreds is glorious, momentarily, but it is soon forgotten, while the joys of love, home and friends are as lasting as the ages. Oh I've thought it over carefully and I know that I am going back to my life's greatest work and joy.

"Mr. Frohman is more than enthusiastic and intends spending a great part of his time in our quiet little home in Bloomington, Ill."

PRESIDENT IN DANGER.

Hose Wagon Going at High Speed Stopped Just Before Collision.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—President Roosevelt had a narrow escape from serious injury while driving yesterday. Prompt action of Lieut. J. B. Lyons of the local fire department, who was driving a heavy fire hose cart, prevented a bad accident. The fire horses were traveling at great speed in response to an alarm when the driver, realizing that he would dash into the President's carriage but for some desperate action, jerked the animals back and threw them on their haunches. Their hoofs, it is said, almost struck the vehicle in front of them as they fell. The hose wagon was slightly damaged.

CHINA'S POLICY FIXED.

PEKING, Dec. 3.—An imperial edict issued today pledges the throne to the policy inaugurated by the late Emperor, and especially the programme which provides for the granting of a constitution to the empire at the end of nine years.

NEW SPORT.

GOULD IS TO FLY.

Young Jay Will Buy Aeroplane

Grandson of Great Financier Enthusiast on Air Travel.

Friends of New York Four Hundred Want to Take Trip.

Ambition Is to Have a Part in Conquering of New Field.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jay Gould, grandson of the Jay Gould who knew all about finance ballooning, announced himself tonight as an enthusiastic student of aeronautics. Within a few days he will purchase an aeroplane of the most practical kind that can be obtained. Young Gould, after gaining a world's championship at tennis, is seeking other

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Marjorie Gwynne Gould.
Wealthy New York Youth and Sister,
both of whom are enthusiastic over flying and will experiment with young Gould's aeroplane.

STANDARD OIL HEARING.

ARCHBOLD COVERS TRAIL OF MILLIONS.

Prosecutor Kellogg Again Baffled in Effort to Learn of Extraordinary Loans to Trainor Who Says He Never Received the Money.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Efforts on part of the Federal counsel to obtain information regarding the loans aggregating $22,000,000 to F. F. Trainor by the Southern Pipe Line Company, a Standard subsidiary, came to nothing today in the cross-examination of John D. Archbold in the government suit to dissolve the so-called trust.

For over a year Frank B. Kellogg, government inquisitor, has pursued every trail to find out the purpose of these large loans, but tonight he appeared to be no nearer the solution of the mystery.

Mr. Archbold said that he knew of no reason for the loans, which, he said, might have represented the adjustments between refining companies which Mr. Trainor supplied with oil.

Mr. Trainor, who is connected with the Standard's pipe line system, had previously testified that he did not know of the loans and never received the money.

REBATES ARE BARGAINS.

Much of Mr. Archbold's cross-examination today had to do with rebates paid by railroads in the early days. He took the position that the rebates at that time were a matter of bargaining, in which each shipper strove to obtain the best terms.

When the hearing was resumed today, Mr. Archbold testified that the Standard purchased the Pacific Coast Oil Company of California in 1900 for $761,000. After that its capitalization was increased by successive stages to $17,000,000 in 1906, when the name was changed to the Standard Oil Company of California.

Regarding the loan of $7,500,000 to T. N. Barndell of Pittsburgh, Mr. Archbold said there was no contract of the loan in the city, whereupon Mr. Rosenthal, counsel for the Standard, said he would telegraph the escrow holders in Pittsburgh to mail the contract to the master of the hearings for inspection.

NOT OWNED BY STANDARD.

Mr. Archbold said that as far as he knew the Texas Oil Company was not owned or controlled by the Standard. The Texas company sold some of its output, the witness said, to the Standard.

Mr. Archbold's attention was called to the cost of refineries put into the trust in 1882, which was $17,000,000. This was the inventory value, said Mr. Archbold, who was then asked if the exhibits of the defense, showing the cost of the refineries in 1896 to be $5,700,000, were not gross costs instead of cost less depreciation. Mr. Archbold said it might have been an error of bookkeeping, whereupon the accountants for both sides began an examination of the exhibit.

Mr. Archbold said the first refineries at the seaboard were not built by the Standard, which early realized their value in the export business and took them over.

Mr. Kellogg desired to know if it was not a fact that in 1871, before the Standard was formed, the percentage of export and refined oil to crude productions was not greater than when it is only 18 per cent.

QUESTION OF TARIFFS.

"I could not say," replied the witness. "Certainly since then there has been an immense production of low-grade oil which is not available for refining."

Mr. Kellogg asked the witness if the Devoe Manufacturing Company had not sold oil in cans abroad before the Standard purchased it.

Mr. Archbold said the Devoe company had.

Replying to a question, Mr. Archbold said the Standard had purchased oil in Russia, but not now. The Standard had interests in Roumania.

The government counsel then took up the question of tariffs on oil in the various countries and Mr. Archbold said the duties in Russia were just what that country chose to make them.

"If they will let our oil in free, they can get their oils in free here. There is no favoritism among the countries where crude oil is produced. If France has a duty against American oils the same duties apply to other countries."

TALK OF FAVORITISM "BOSH."

Mr. Kellogg asked what were the Standard's advantages with regard to the tariff and Mr. Archbold replied:

"All this talk of favoritism to the Standard by the tariff is bosh."

Mr. Archbold said that in spite of the Russian policy of protection "we manage to get a little in on them occasionally."

"So if Russia keeps you out we keep them out," said Mr. Kellogg.

"What do you mean by 'we'—The Republican party?" broke in Mr. Milburn.

The laugh that followed ended the line of tariff inquiry.

The accounts of the Southern Pipe Line Company from 1899 to 1905 showing loans to P. S. Trainer varying from $2,500,000 to $4,000,000 each year and aggregating $22,000,000 were inquired into by Mr. Kellogg.

"The balance sheets of the Southern Pipe Line Company show the following loans," he said: "1899, $2,007,000; 1900, $4,499,000; 1901, $2,745,628; 1902, $3,254,967; 1903, $3,663,729; 1904, $3,915,826; 1905, $2,343,344. Now Mr. Trainer testified that he knows nothing about these loans, and that the money was never paid to him. Do you know anything about these loans?"

"I do not," said Mr. Archbold.

The early contract between the Standard and the Pennsylvania Railroad whereby the Pennsylvania gave a drawback of 10 per cent, on all crude oil shipped to seaboard in return for a certain amount of oil to be shipped over the Pennsylvania was inquired into. Mr. Archbold said there was no secrecy about the contract, which did not continue a long time.

Mr. Kellogg sought to show, through a contract between Daniel O'Day of the American Transfer Company, and the Pennsylvania Railroad, that the Pennsylvania gave a rebate of 20 cents a barrel to the Standard on oil shipped by others.

Mr. Archbold said that he did not think that possible.

The attention of Mr. Archbold was called to the testimony of Alexander J. Cassatt, then vice-president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, that the railroad paid a rebate to the American Transfer Company on all oil shipped over the Pennsylvania.

Mr. Archbold said he recollected there were some suits and added that, "it was a sort of custom in those days out in Pennsylvania to bring suits."

Mr. Kellogg pursued the question of rebates given by railroads and Mr. Archbold replied that he "got the best rates he could and he had no doubt that, whatever the railroad man promised you, the chances are that on his way home he gave some other man a lower rate."

"Do you know that Mr. Cassatt testified that the Standard received lower rates than any other shipper?"

"I do not know that he so testified."

An adjournment was taken until Monday.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TUESDAY

Reading Delayed One Day as Senate Will Adjourn to Honor Allison.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The President's annual message to Congress will be read to the second session of the Sixtieth Congress on Tuesday next instead of Monday, the opening day of Congress, according to the plan announced today. The Senate will adjourn on Monday out of respect to the memory of Senator Allison, immediately after appointing a committee to wait on the President and after new members are sworn in.

Speaker Cannon said today that the House also would adjourn in the same manner. Tuesday probably will be devoted solely to the reading of the President's message.

SEVENTEEN DIE IN STORM.

ST. JOHNS (Newfoundland.) Dec. 3.—Seventeen persons have perished in a storm which has lashed the Newfoundland coast for forty-eight hours. In all ten fishing vessels have gone ashore, most of them breaking into fragments on the rocks. The storm caused much damage to wharves and boats in the numerous harbors.

MILLIONAIRE'S SON WHO WILL SAIL AIRSHIPS.

SERIOUS.

PREPARE FOR WAR.

Bosnia Situation Is Acute.

Countryside Is Flooded With Military—Midnight Executions Held.

Wells Poisoned, Barb Wire Defenses Established; Austrian Killed.

Sixty Thousand Reservists in Vienna Ordered to Remain by Colors.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELGRADE, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The situation in Bosnia has reached a most serious stage.

The countryside is flooded with military. Eight thousand Hungarian infantry are being landed at Ragusa, a fortified seaport near the Bosnian border.

Throughout Bosnia midnight executions are taking place. Life in isolated villages has become almost impossible. Another mutiny has occurred at Visegrad.

Most of the Austrian troops under canvas are suffering from cold and are exhausted because of bad food and extra duty. Discontent prevails everywhere.

An Austrian soldier was shot today in an attempt to visit the Servian side.

Barb-wire defenses have been stretched all over Trobinje, Pilitsch, and Visegrad. In many places wells have been destroyed or poisoned.

During the next few days the situation, it is thought, will reach the most critical point.

AUSTRIA HOLDS TROOPS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

VIENNA, Dec. 3.—Sixty thousand reservists, who should have been discharged December 5, have been ordered to remain with the colors, provinces.

WOMAN HERO SAVES MAN.

Mrs. William Angus of Haywards, Cal., Keeps Man from Going Overboard on Atlantic.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The steamship California of the Anchor Line arrived in port this morning from Glasgow, four days overdue, with a tale of the stormiest trip in the memory of Capt. Blaikie, who has sailed the seas many years. The ship left Glasgow November 21 and ran on rough weather before she was a hundred miles from the coast. The fiercest gale of the trip was on last Sunday. This sizzling gale gave Mrs. William Angus, a very pretty young woman from Haywards, Cal., a chance to prove herself a heroine.

David Burn, a young man from Dundee who is coming to America to make some investments and live, was in a steamer chair on the promenade deck, trying to recover from a severe attack of seasickness, when Mrs. Angus noticed he was chattering with the cold. She wrapped her steamer rug around him, and just as he was well tucked in, the ship gave a lurch, a sudden gust caught the pair, and Burn, rug and steamer chair overturned and rolled along the deck.

Tangled in the rug, the young man was swung violently against the rail, and just at that moment the California gave a roll that would have thrown him into the surging sea had not Mrs. Angus caught him. She clung to him with all her might and had to pull him across the deck, as he was helpless with a dislocated shoulder.

TRUCE IN MANILA STRIKE.

Seamen Return to Work, Pending Settlement of Differences by Arbitration.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MANILA, Dec. 4.—Collector of Customs G. R. Colton intervened today in the strike of the coastwise seamen, which was declared yesterday to enforce a demand for 100 per cent. increase of pay. He effected a truce between the striking sailors and the ship owners, by which the men agreed to return to work and submit their differences to arbitration.

As a result of the demands of the seamen, which also included shorter working hours and overtime for Sunday work, and to which the ship owners refused to accede, several of the large coasting steamers were unable to leave their berths yesterday and the entire coastwise shipping would have been tied up within a few days.

It was mainly through the efforts of Collector Colton that the men returned to work today, pending a final settlement of their demands by arbitration.

ARIZONA'S OFFICIAL VOTE.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 3.—Official compilation of the returns of the late election were made today by the Territorial Secretary. Result of vote for delegates: Cameron, Republican, 12,425; Smith, Democrat, 11,727; Cannon, Socialist, 1912; Cleary, Independence League, 118; Stewart, Socialist-Labor, 68; Sibley, Prohibition, 106. Cameron's plurality, 708. Total vote cast, 27,676. Registration, 37,218.

CHINESE CELEBRATE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The ascension of Pu Yi, the child ruler of the Chinese Empire, to the throne was celebrated in the Chinese quarter of this city yesterday, the ceremony being the same as that which has been used on similar occasions for centuries past in China.

TIMELY.

WARNS BRITISH OF WAR IN AIR.

Maxim Tells Nation It Must Build Sky Ships.

Flying Machines Could Ruin English Towns.

Continent Soon May Scoff at Vaunted Navy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sir Hiram Maxim took the British nation to task for its small interest in aerial machines in a lecture today before the Society of Arts. He reproached it for being behind other first-class European powers in progress toward a solution of this form of locomotion.

"Does any one doubt for a moment," said he, "that in case we find ourselves at war with a continental power flying machines will be used for bombarding English towns, both on the coast and inland? The city of London, within a year's time, can be attacked without our enemies needing to fear the boasted British fleet.

"A French engineer of international renown tells me that by this time next year there will be plenty of machines on the market capable of crossing and recrossing the channel several times at night and in darkness without stopping," he continued.

"There is only one way of combating this danger, and that is by constructing machines ourselves. Our achievements in this line thus far are insignificant because we lack the imagination of the French and the Americans. They begin by believing; we by doubting."

Sir Hiram went on to say that he thought the Wright aëroplane a rough and imperfect piece of mechanism, but that if equipped with a trustworthy motor it could be made much more serviceable.

Other speakers seconded Sir Hiram's warning that it is full time for England to wake up unless it wants to find itself at the mercy of the continental military flyers.

WRIGHT TO FLY AT TOULON.

TEMPTED BY PRIZES OFFERED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOULON, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tempted by the prizes offered for the approaching aërial contest from Monaco to St. Martin and back, Wilbur Wright has changed his plans and purposes to come here within a few days' time. It is known also that his doctors have advised a sojourn of a few weeks in this mild climate after the strenuous activity of the last few months.

These races will occur early next month, when the Riviera season will be at its height. Already the hotel proprietors from Cannes to Mentone declare that every room in their establishments have been engaged for the week of the races.

RUSTIN MURDER TRIAL.

MRS. RICE TO REPEAT STORY.

STATE GAINS VICTORY WITH WOMAN WITNESS.

Narrative of Relations Between the Dead Surgeon and Friend, Who Testified That Davis Was Engaged to Kill Him, Admitted in Evidence. Finances in Bad Shape.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Dec. 3.—The evidence given today by Mrs. Abbie B. Rice and the vigorous efforts of counsel for the defense to exclude that part of it connecting Charles Edward Davis, the defendant, with the killing of Dr. Frederick T. Rustin, were the features today of the trial of Davis for the physician's murder on the morning of September 2. Two or three minor witnesses were called just after court convened this morning and Mrs. Rice occupied the stand the remainder of the day.

Her recital of the story of her relations with the dead surgeon was not less dramatic than on the two former occasions when she had been asked to give the details of an alleged pact to destroy three lives. Twice during the day, witness and jury were dismissed while counsel argued points of law as to the admissibility of portions of her evidence and in each instance the State scored a clear-cut victory. By a ruling made on the last point raised, the bars are let down for the hearing of Mrs. Rice's entire story which will include that part wherein Dr. Rustin is alleged to have told her he had engaged Davis to kill him. Once during the narrative, when she referred to Rustin's mother, Mrs. Rice broke into tears but soon regained her composure. Her evidence was given in a clear voice and with a good memory for detail. Mrs. Rice had reached the point where Davis was brought into her story when she was excused for the day.

The defendant sat near, listening attentively to the proceedings. Near him sat his two brothers, one of them, Frederick Davis, vice-president of the First National Bank, and the other, Latham Devis, a prominent capitalist. The latter took notes for counsel for the defense.

Don Moon was the first witness called today. Moon is the ambulance driver who drove to Dr. Rustin's home to remove the physician to the hospital after the shooting. He testified to having met a man answering the description of the defendant. He noticed the man because of his sluggish walk.

Fred J. Stack, an undertaker, who accompanied Moon, gave evidence corroborating Moon's testimony.

Mrs. Abbie Rice was the next witness. She wore a neat blue tailored suit with hat to match. Attorney English at once went into the story of her early life and quickly came to the point where she formed Dr. Rustin's acquaintance.

She told of calling him to the public house of Grace Walton to perform an operation for a gynaecic disease, which was her first acquaintance with him.

Following her recovery she left the Walton house and went to a hotel, where she testified, Dr. Rustin paid her expenses.

Mr. English asked the witness what she knew of Rustin's finances. Witness replied she knew he permitted his bills to run at the house where she was staying. She also saw bills sent to him through the mails and read letters to him asking the physician for money.

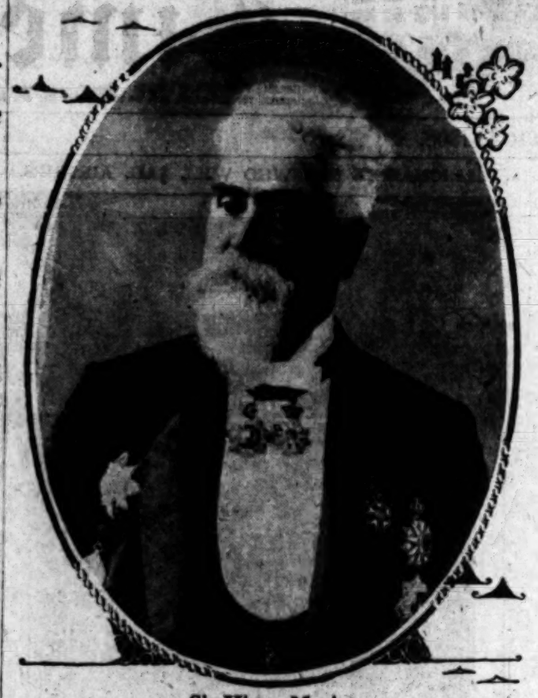
"I was at Dr. Rustin's office nearly every day," said Mrs. Rice, "and many creditors called to collect their bills, which he was usually unable to meet."

"Thirty days prior to the shooting of Dr. Rustin, did you notice any marked change in his condition, in his manner or his habits?" inquired Mr. English.

The question being objected to, the court took a recess while Judge Sears considered the matter.

Four persons perished early yesterday in flames which were started from an over-heated kitchen stove, and burned the Shapiro block in Priceburg, Pa. The dead are Abraham Shapiro, merchant, his son Arthur and daughter Anna, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Blatski. Mrs. Shapiro was carried down a ladder, and two sons saved themselves by jumping from windows.

NOTED ENGLISHMAN WHO WARNS HIS COUNTRY.



Sir Hiram Maxim,
who yesterday took Englishmen to task for not taking more interest in flying machines and warned them against possible invasion by fleet of airships.

RESTRAINT OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

COAL CONSPIRATORS ARE FOUND GUILTY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SALT LAKE (Utah) Dec. 3.—"Guilty" was the verdict of the jury in the United States District Court before which the Union Pacific Railway, the Union Pacific Coal Company, the Oregon Short Line, Evejett Buckingham and J. M. Moore have been tried for conspiring in restraint of interstate commerce and thereby violating the laws of the United States.

The defendants were indicted two years ago after it had been shown to the satisfaction of the grand jury, that Mr. Moore, the sales agent of the coal company, with the assistance of Mr. Buckingham, then traffic manager of the Short Line, had cut off the supply of Wyoming coal going to David J. Sharp, a Salt Lake fuel dealer, because Sharp advertised coal below the prevailing price. This action, it was alleged, drove Sharp out of business.

The trial has been in progress three days.

Mr. Moore attempted to assume all responsibility for the measures taken against Sharp.

The jury reported its findings after four hours' deliberation, and recommended Buckingham to the mercy of the court. The maximum penalty is a fine of $5000 and a year in jail. Sentence will be postponed pending the result of an appeal to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A blizzard is coming. A snowstorm of huge proportions is expected to reach Chicago soon. The storm was reported sweeping eastward today and gathering force as it proceeded. The advance wing was scheduled to arrive late tomorrow. Chicago probably will be covered with the first snow of the season tomorrow. If it isn't, then a worse fate is probable—a cold, penetrating rain. Today's maximum temperature was 23 and the minimum 20 deg. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	30	10
Bismarck	12	−2
Cairo	38	22
Cheyenne	46	24
Cincinnati	38	16
Cleveland	30	16
Concordia	44	22
Davenport	32	20
Denver	46	28
Des Moines	40	22
Detroit	30	14
Devil's Lake	8	2
Dodge City	52	20
Dubuque	32	20
Duluth	24	12
Escanaba	30	8
Grand Rapids	30	16
Green Bay	32	12
Helena	26	10
Huron	30	10
Indianapolis	34	16
Kansas City	40	22
Marquette	28	8
Memphis	46	26
Milwaukee	32	8
Omaha	42	22
St. Louis	36	22
St. Paul	34	22
Sault Ste. Marie	26	6
Springfield, Ill	34	18
Springfield, Mo	40	26
Wichita	46	26

HOLDS DIVORCE RECORD.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—According to statistics, Peoria county, Illinois, holds the record for divorces. From November 1, 1907, to November 1, 1908, there was one divorce filed for every four and two-thirds marriage licenses. The United States census report gives Illinois the palm for divorces, the State average being one divorce for every twelve marriages.

WOMAN BEATEN BY THUGS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Two robbers walked into the house of A. Vanderkloot in the North Shore suburb of Lake Bluff yesterday afternoon and beat and kicked Mrs. Vanderkloot, a frail woman of 55 years, into insensibility and then leisurely ransacked the house for diamonds which they supposed to be there. Failing to find the diamonds, the men took $85 in money and several pieces of silverware and walked away, leaving their victim unconscious on the floor.

TO STOP GRAVE THIEVES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Charges that floral pieces, moss and even cut flowers laid on graves in Chicago cemeteries are carried away and sold or used again have been made, and an ordinance is being drafted by Assistant Corporation Counsel Howard Hayes intended to stop the practice.

BUSY BEES BUZZ IN CITY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—The Chicago Northwestern Bee Keepers' Association is holding its annual meeting here. It developed that the keeping of bees is not always associated with the pastoral scenes as is commonly supposed. Within the confines of Chicago some 300 business men and women spend their leisure looking after bee hives and handling the honey which they produce. Secretary Herman H. Moore for Park Ridge explained that queen bees were valued at about $10 each. Mr. Moore said there are more than 35,000 bee keepers in the United States. About 1000 of these are located in Cook county and 300 in the city of Chicago.

RANCHING FOR WOMEN.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—"If women would be treated as an equal, receive the same consideration as men, the same recompense for their time, they must flee the city where even professional men regard them and their talents as inferior, and take up the attractive vocation of live stock farming and agriculture," was the keynote of an address given yesterday at the Chicago Woman's Club by Mrs. Virginia Meredith of Cambridge City, Ind., who believes that live stock raising and scientific agriculture are an outlet for mental energy. "Women find live stock farming peculiarly attractive," said Mrs. Meredith, "because the open market is the arbiter of values. A comely shorthorn, a tidy Southdown, a fine horse—these, like a bushel of wheat or a ton of hay, sell on their merits, with never a suggestion that the price should be discounted because they be grown on a farm managed by a woman—a discount relentlessly enforced when women compete in factories, stores, schoolrooms or elsewhere."

MORSE GETS SECOND STAY.

Convicted Banker in Tombs Given Until February 1 to File Bill of Exceptions.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Charles W. Morse, who was convicted of violation of the Federal banking laws while an officer of the National Bank of North America, and who is in the Tombs Prison in this city on a stay of execution of his sentence of fifteen years, was granted today an extension until next February 1.

Morse's attorneys will draw up a more complete bill of exceptions than has been possible in the thirty days that have been at their disposal.

CHRISTMAS THEATER PARTY.

Chance for Any School Pupil, Younger or Older, to Win a $2 Ticket to "Ben-Hur," Free.

TWO HUNDRED of the boys and girls who attend Los Angeles Schools will be made happy on December 14. Older or younger, that makes no difference, all have a chance.

How?

The Times will give a theater party at the Mason Operahouse on that date, and 200 boys and girls will be its guests at the opening performance of "Ben-Hur," Lew Wallace's famous story.

If you want to become a guest at this Christmas party, write an essay on "Ben-Hur," send it to The Times, and you may be lucky enough to win a prize—a $2 ticket to "Ben-Hur." This offer is open to any pupil of any school in Los Angeles, of no matter what age.

Pay good heed to the conditions of the contest: You must be a pupil of a Los Angeles school, public or private, any grade. Your essay must not be over 150 words in length. You must write the essay without assistance from any one. Your essay must reach The Times not later than December 9. The manuscript must bear the name of the writer, and of his or her school.

Seven well-known Los Angeles educators have generously consented to act as committee, and will decide on the merits of the essay sent in. These are: Principal W. H. Housh of the Los Angeles High School; Miss Gertrude Henderson, head of the department of English, Los Angeles High School; J. H. Francis, principal Polytechnic High School; Miss Ethel McGee, acting head of English department, Polytechnic High School; E. J. Lickley, head of truant schools; Sister Aquinas of the Franciscan Sisters' School; Miss Hope Traver of Huntington Hall.

Tickets will be given to the 200 prize winners as soon as the awards are made. Let every boy and girl try for one. Address your essay to Ben-Hur Contest Editor, The Times, Los Angeles.

Now try it. Don't try too hard. Simply set forth your own ideas about the great work.

LOOTERS KILLED.

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so, and at the head of this body of men, he marched against the looters.

The pillagers were unaware of his approach, and the first intimation that they were to meet any opposition came to them in the shape of a volley from Gen. Poidevin's command. Eight looters fell at the first fire.

This onslaught broke the spirit of the mob and as the general threatened to shoot again, the crowd quickly dispersed to safer quarters.

While this was going on in the business district, another mob was looting the rich residential section of the city. The residences of Gen. Colcou, Gen. Gabriel, Gen. Guillaume, M. Lefantant, Gen. Marcelin and Gen. Leconte were broken into and plundered. The success seemed to satisfy the crowd in the suburbs for they dispersed without committing any further depredations.

SIMON CN FORCED MARCH.

At 11 o'clock the seminary of the priests was surrounded by a menacing crowd, demanding that Gen. Colcou be turned over to them. The priests made reply that the general was not there. Word reached Gen. Poidevin of the threatening situation at the seminary, and he hurried forward at the head of his detachment, and on his arrival the crowd dispersed.

At midnight the city was comparatively quiet, but from that hour till daybreak there was occasional rifle firing.

Had these disorders broken out in the daylight it is probable that armed forces from the American cruisers Tacoma and Des Moines and the French cruiser Dugray Trouin would have been landed; as it was, no foreign soldiers were sent ashore.

Gen. Poidevin has been highly commended for his firm stand, which undoubtedly saved the city from a general outbreak of pillage and incendiarism.

The committee of public safety held a meeting early this morning, and with the concurrence of M. Carteron, Gen. Poidevin was made military Governor of Port au Prince.

A force sufficient to maintain order in the capital will be placed at his disposal.

Should a serious situation again arise, however, and it appears that the mob might get the upper hand, the committee proposes to ask the foreign cruisers to send landing parties ashore.

Gen. Simon, the leader of the successful revolutionary movement, has been informed of the occurrences of yesterday. At the head of his Army of 5000 men, he is making a forced march for Port au Prince.

TURKISH BOYCOTT SPREADS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3.—The Russian Consul at Trieste has informed the government that the Turkish boycott of Austrian goods has extended into Egypt and Arabia and is threatening to spread throughout the entire Musselman world.

GOULD TO FLY.

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worlds to conquer. He declares that he intends to convince the world that aëronautics is practical, and that in a few years it will become the universal means of locomotion. Mr. Gould, who belongs to the Four Hundred, said that in addition to conducting experiments with an airship himself, many of his friends are also enthusiasts and will make ascensions with him.

"How about your young women friends?" Mr. Gould was asked.

"To be sure, I intend to give them an opportunity to ride in my airship. I have already broached the subject to several of them and they have accepted invitations."

Miss Marjorie Gould, his sister, will probably be the first member of the Four Hundred to try the air.

Mr. Gould declined to give other names, but he is one of the most popular young men in the local "Four Hundred," and doubtless will take many of his exclusive set on his tours of the air.

"Although I am but a recent convert to the study of aëronautics," continued Mr. Gould, "I never experienced such enthusiasm for anything in my life. Tennis is nothing in comparison. The more I hear about the fight to conquer the air, the more I want to take part in conquering it. I shall spare no effort to accomplish my desire.

"I intend to purchase an aëroplane of the most practical kind as soon as I have decided which is best. I shall run it myself. I shall continue my studies in aëronautics every spare moment I can devote to the engrossing problem. I hope to try, demonstrate and improve."

Young Gould is a member of the Columbia University Aëro Club, organized recently as a result of the faculty's incorporating a course in aëronautics in the college curriculum. It was not known that Gould, who will graduate in 1911, had taken any more than a passing interest in balloons or airships. When he signed for the aëronautic course and joined the club it was supposed that the novelty more than anything else had inspired his action.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Andrew J. McCosh.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Dr. Andrew J. McCosh, the well-known surgeon and son of the late president of Princeton University, James McCosh, who was injured in a runaway accident on Saturday last, died last night in the Presbyterian Hospital, of which institution he was a surgeon.

Jacob C. Mann.

TACOMA (Wash.) Dec. 3.—Jacob C. Mann died at a hospital here today of paralysis in the 75th year of his age. He crossed the plains in 1851 from Illinois. He was elected Mayor of Tacoma in 1885, the anti-Chinese candidate.

PINE BLUFF FLOODS.

ROARING RIVER IS EATING UP TOWN.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PINE BLUFF (Ark.) Dec. 3.—Unable to stand the continued pressure of the water hurled against it through the diverting of the current of the river by the dynamiting operations of last night, the government dyke at the foot of Alabama street several blocks south of the former zone, was washed away tonight for a distance of 200 yards and the steep bank at this point, with the entire force of swollen stream striking against it, is fast crumbling into the river. Great portions are tumbling at rapid intervals and the roar of the river and the caving of the bank is heard for a great distance.

An entire block of business houses has been abandoned and smaller buildings are being rolled away. Several structures already overhanging the brink doubtless will collapse before tomorrow. East Barrauge street, fronting on the river for several blocks, is a scene of desolation and efforts are being made to remove the stocks of the business houses and household goods to a place of safety.

Dynamiters resumed late tonight, their work of blowing away the north bank opposite Pine Bluff in an effort further to divert the current.

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ALL TOURISTS SHOULD SEE—San Gabriel Mission, founded 1771, or largest Grapevine in Cal., L. A. Ostrich Farm and Dance of Indian Village and Totem Pole. All above included on Tilton's Trolley Trip, through Pasadena and orange groves in morning, afternoon at Long Beach, largest on coast—a ride of 100 miles for $2.00 cents. Reserved chairs. Competent guides. Daily, 9:30 a.m. P. E. Depot, cor. 6th and Main Sts.

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ALL THIS WEEK. MATINEE TOMORROW.
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Five hundred opera chairs, unreserved, on sale at 7:30 every night, 25c. Regular prices 25c, 50c, 75c, $1. A few front rows, $1.50.
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TONIGHT AND BALANCE OF THE WEEK—MATINEE SATURDAY
Thomas Dixon Jr.'s Epic of the Southland *"THE CLANSMAN"*
PRICES—$1.50, $1.00, 75c and 50c. SEATS SELL
NEXT ATTRACTION—ROSE STAHL IN "THE CHORUS LADY."

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PEOPLE'S THEATER—322 SOUTH MAIN STREET. PHONES—Main 6125, F1834.
THIS WEEK—MATINEE SATURDAY—Lincoln J. Carter presents the Picturesque Western Play, *"The Flaming Arrow"* NEXT WEEK Richards & Gile's Minstrels
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MAUD POWELL, Violin; MAY MUKLE, 'Cello; ANNE FORD, Piano. Solos, Trios and Chamber Music Numbers. Prices—40c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00.
ADELA VERNE—SATURDAY MATINEE AT 2:30 O'CLOCK.

50c McCAREY'S—PAVILION, NAUD JUNCTION.
TONIGHT, DEC. 4—BOXING CONTEST
AD WOLGAST vs. YOUNG KID McCOY, ten rounds. CLARENCE ENGLISH vs. JACK WARD, ten rounds. JACK REDMOND vs. FRED CORBETT, ten rounds. JAP TOM vs. YOUNG DOUGHERTY, six rounds. Admission, 50c; reserved seats, $1 and $2, for sale at A. B. Greenewald's Cigar Store, 107 S. SPRING ST.

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GRAFT PROSECUTION.

WITNESSES TO RUEF BRIBERY.

Attorney Abbott Tells of Getting Gold.

W. J. Dingee Tells What Ruef Said.

Story of Fight Trust Deal Also Given.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The first witness called in the Ruef bribery trial today was Adam Dahler, acting treasurer of the United Railroads. He testified that he retained all the gold coming in and deposited currency and checks in the banks.

The prosecution endeavored to show by his evidence that the $200,000 drawn by Tirey L. Ford from the mint was never turned over to the company. The witness further said that in November, 1906, after the graft inquiry had begun, George E. Starr, treasurer of the United Railroads, left for the east, taking with him a number of vouchers and books to be experted.

George Wilcutt, secretary of the United Railroads, testified regarding the various books in his charge. The proposed introduction of a letter which Wilcutt said he had at his office, and which is supposed to contain some reference to the $200,000 drawn by Ford, led to a wordy clash between Attorney Ach and Asst. Dist.-Atty. O'Gara, which continued until a recess was taken.

Peter Rossetti, cashier of the Wells-Fargo National Bank, was the next witness called. He identified a number of deposit tags showing currency deposits made by the United Railroads Company in 1906.

Head Book-keeper James E. Conners, of the Bank of California, identified deposit slips of the United Railroads.

Henry Ach objected to all this, but the tags were admitted in evidence by Judge Lawlor.

William M. Abbott, assistant counsel for the United Railroads, was called as a witness at the afternoon session. He was represented by his own counsel, and on their advice refused to testify on the ground that he was under indictment in connection with the trolley franchise matter.

Judge Lawlor overruled the objections of Abbott's attorneys and compelled him to testify. He then related the incident of his trip to the mint in company with Tirey L. Ford when the latter obtained one of the installments of the $200,000, made payable to the order of Patrick Calhoun.

William J. Dingee, who was associated with the promoters of the Parkside syndicate, related the substance of a conversation with Ruef, wherein the defendant had said that there was no occasion for his employment as attorney by the Parkside people, and that Schmitz had taken exception to the employment in such a capacity. "Ruef said," narrated the witness, "that the Parkside people seemed to have money to throw to the birds, and that if such was the case they might consider him a bird."

Mr. Dingee was excused without cross-examination and Morris Levy, former promoter of prize fights, whose testimony was instrumental in bringing about the indictment of several of his associates, was called to the stand for the first time during the trial of any of the graft cases.

Under a fire of objections, Matt I. Sullivan for the prosecution, elicited from the witness that he had during the early part of December, 1905 spoken to Ruef about a permit for a fight between Joe Gans and Mike (Twin) Sullivan.

Levy testified that he had several times gone to Ruef in the Pup Restaurant and asked to whom the permit was to be granted. After the first meeting Levy said he had been referred by Ruef because he had obtained the signatures of two or three of the new Supervisors to a blank permit. Ruef asked, the witness said, if he (Levy) could not take his word.

"I said, I had taken his word," said Levy, "but that I did not seem to get the permit."

Levy declared that upon the occasion of a second or third midnight meeting with Ruef, in the Pup, the defendant said:

"You will get the permit all right. I tell you what you had better do. Our people have been fighting among themselves about these permits and had better get together and proceed harmoniously. Go and see Graney. Go down and have a talk with him and do whatever he does is all right. After I had seen Graney," continued Levy, "I went to Ruef and said Graney wants a great deal of me. What I do with him all right?'"

The witness declared that Ruef had told him that this was satisfactory with Graney than proposed the formation of a fight trust with himself, Willus Britt and James Coffroth. Graney's contribution to the treasury was to be $5000. Levy then left Graney and returned to Ruef and obtained the admission of Willus Britt into the proposed trust. Ruef advised that the promoters settle it among themselves, adding that Britt could be admitted as his family had been friendly to the administration.

MURPHY JURY COMPLETE.

TO TRY RUEF'S LAWYER.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The eighth juror was secured today for the jury which will try Attorney Frank Murphy, who is accused with having attempted to bribe John M. Kelly, a fireman in the Ruef-Parkside case. The following are the jurors:

John T. Gilmartin, real estate dealer; George A. Brown, real estate dealer; George B. Bernard, wine merchant; Thomas Elam, contractor; James Ryan, floor dealer; John H. Curley, tailor; William Tyrrill, builder; Frederick Meyer, builder; William Fahey, retired hotel keeper; George A. Ball, publicity accountant; J. R. Lees, mining man; Frank Chalmers, hardware salesman.

After the completion of the jury, the indictment against Murphy was read and the case was continued until tomorrow morning, when the prosecution will make its opening statement.

Attorney A. S. Blake, a contractor, who was convicted of offering a bribe to Supervisor M. Kelly, will be the star witness for the prosecution. After his conviction, Blake in open court made a confession implicating Murphy in the transaction.

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WHAT'S DOING IN THE PACIFIC SLOPE STATES.

GRAFT PROSECUTION.

WITNESSES TO RUEF BRIBERY.

Attorney Abbott Tells of Getting Gold.

W. J. Dingee Tells What Ruef Said.

Story of Fight Trust Deal Also Given.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The first witness called in the Ruef bribery trial today was Adam Dahler, acting treasurer of the United Railroads. He testified that he retained all the gold coming in and deposited currency and checks in the banks.

The prosecution endeavored to show by his evidence that the $200,000 drawn by Tirey L. Ford from the mint was never turned over to the company. The witness further said that in November, 1906, after the graft inquiry had begun, George E. Starr, treasurer of the United Railroads, left for the East, taking with him a number of vouchers and books to be experted.

George Wilcutt, secretary of the United Railroads, testified regarding the various books in his charge. The proposed introduction of a letter which Wilcutt said he had at his office, and which is supposed to contain some reference to the $200,000 drawn by Ford, led to a wordy clash between Attorney Ach and Asst. Dist.-Atty. O'Gara, which continued until a recess was taken.

Peter Rossetti, cashier of the Wells-Fargo National Bank, was the next witness called. He identified a number of deposit tags showing currency deposits made by the United Railroads Company in 1906.

Head Book-keeper James E. Congers, of the Bank of California, identified deposit slips of the United Railroads.

Henry Ach objected to all this, but the tags were admitted in evidence by Judge Lawlor.

William M. Abbott, assistant counsel for the United Railroads, was called as a witness at the afternoon session. He was represented by his own counsel, and on their advice refused to testify on the ground that he was under indictment in connection with the trolley franchise matter.

Judge Lawlor overruled the objections of Abbott's attorneys and compelled him to testify. He then related the incident of his trip to the mint in company with Tirey L. Ford when the latter obtained one of the installments of the $200,000, made payable to the order of Patrick Calhoun.

William J. Dingee, who was associated with the promoters of the Parkside syndicate, related the substance of a conversation with Ruef, wherein the defendant had said that there was no occasion for his employment as attorney for the Parkside people, and that Schmitz had taken exception to his employment in such a capacity.

"Ruef said," narrated the witness, "that the Parkside people seemed to have money to throw to the birds, and that if such was the case they might consider him a bird."

Mr. Dingee was excused without cross-examination and Morris Levy, former promoter of prize fights, whose testimony was instrumental in bringing about the indictment of several of his associates, was called to the stand for the first time during the trial of any of the graft cases.

Under a fire of objections, Matt I. Sullivan for the prosecution, elicited from the witness that he had during the early part of December, 1905 spoke to Ruef about a permit for a fight between Joe Gans and Mike (Twin) Sullivan.

Levy testified that he had several times gone to Ruef in the Pup Restaurant and asked to whom the permit was to be granted. After the first meeting Levy said he had been refused by Ruef because he had obtained the signatures of two or three of the new supervisors to a blank permit. Ruef asked, the witness said, if he (Levy) could not take his word.

"I said, I had taken his word," said Levy, "but that I did not seem to get the permit."

Levy declared that upon the occasion of a second or third midnight meeting with Ruef, in the Pup, the defendant said:

"You will get the permit all right. I'll tell you what you had better do. Our people have been fighting among themselves about these permits and had better get together and proceed harmoniously. Go and see Graney. Come down and have a talk with him whatever he does is all right.

"After I had seen Graney," continued Levy, "I went to Ruef and said Graney wants a great deal of me. What I do with him all right?' "

The witness declared that Ruef had told him that this was satisfactory to him, Graney than proposed the organization of a fight trust with himself, Wilcutt, Britt and James Coffroth. Graney's contribution to the treasury was to be $5000. Levy then left Ruef and returned to Ruef and obtained for the admission of Wilcutt into the proposed trust. Ruef suggested that the promoters settle it among themselves, adding that Britt should be admitted as his family had been friendly to the administration.

BURPHY JURY COMPLETE.

TO TRY RUEF'S LAWYER.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The jury was secured today for the jury which will try Attorney Frank J. Murphy, who is accused with having attempted to bribe John M. Kelly, a witness in the Ruef-Parkside case. The following are the jurors:

John T. Gilmartin, real estate dealer; George A. Brown, real estate dealer; Louis B. Bernard, wine merchant; George Elam, contractor; James Ryan, grain dealer; John H. Curley, tailor; William Tyrtill, builder; Frederick Meyer, builder; William Fahey, retired hotel keeper; George A. Ball, public accountant; J. R. Leese, mining man; Frank Chalmers, hardware salesman.

After the completion of the jury, the indictment against Murphy was read and the case was continued until tomorrow morning, when the prosecution will make its opening statement.

E. A. Blake, a contractor, who was convicted of offering a bribe to Supervisor Kelly, will be the star witness for the prosecution. After his conviction, Blake in open court made a confession implicating Murphy in the transaction.

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DEATH HAS FIRST CALL.

Governor-elect of Washington Will Never Sit in Office.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASO ROBLES, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The condition of Governor-elect S. G. Cosgrove of Washington, who has been at the baths here for two weeks, has taken a turn for the worse, and Dr. Dresser says the patient can't live for more than two weeks longer, as he has Bright's disease. Cosgrove was elected Governor of Washington at the recent election and will never be able to take his seat.

He was a member of the State constitutional convention and is regent of the State University, a prominent Grand Army man and a member of the Masons, Odd Fellows and Elks. He served during the Civil War in the Fourteenth Ohio Volunteers.

CRAZY COQUETTE.

Woman Who Wants to Be Engaged to Every Man She Knows, Sent to Asylum.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Her penchant for becoming engaged to about every man she knew, resulted in Mrs. Clara B. Hickman being committed to the local State hospital after some sensational testimony. Two sons gave most of the testimony, after the mother had been brought into court.

She is about 65 and the sons testified she often announced she was engaged to men and of late has been a close companion of a man named Lyons, who had been forbidden to call at the home of the son, G. A. Carley of this city.

Her mania for men became greater the older she grew and the sons wanted her placed in the asylum, but her friends employed attorneys and there was quite a legal battle before the case was closed.

JUSTICE'S HONOR DOUBTED.

Defendant in Suit on Which Root Wrote Opinion Wants Rehearing.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As the result of the scandal which culminated in the resignation of Justice M. A. Root of the State Supreme Court and the investigation of the charges against him by a committee of the State Bar Association, a petition for the rehearing of a case decided before his resignation was filed today.

M. C. Raven sued the Seattle Electric Company for $20,000 damages for personal injuries. The lower court gave him $12,000. The Supreme Court reversed the case, the opinion being written by Root. The petition for a rehearing declares that the Root scandal must of necessity cast doubt on the honesty of the opinion written by him, which favors a large and rich corporation, and asserts that the petitioner is justified in a lack of confidence in Root's integrity.

Root resigned a few weeks ago, after asking an investigation of charges against him. These were that Root had been given money by the Great Northern to influence decisions of the court.

WOMEN HOLD SWAY.

GAIN IN OFFICERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nearly half the county school superintendents in this State during the next two years will be women. A compilation just finished in the Secretary of State's office shows that seventeen of the thirty-seven school superintendents elected in November are women. In Asotin, Benton, Cowlitz, Franklin, Mason, Pacific, Snohomish, Stevens, Wahkiakum and Whatcom counties, the present women incumbents have been reelected. Women have been elected to succeed women in Clallan, Ferry, Garfield, Island and Pacific counties. Three counties, Columbia, Lincoln and San Juan, have elected men to succeed women, but three other counties, Kittitas, Skamania and Walla Walla, have elected women to succeed men.

TESTING FOR DIAMONDS.

ALASKA DISCOVERY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Dawson special says that whitish stones found in blue clay at Montague by C. P. Mack have been sent to London and Paris to be tested for diamonds. Mack learned of the stones through Indians. They brought to the Yukon River station at Tantalus a number of whitish stones and had used them in scratching or cutting glass. This fact became known to the whites. Mack followed up a suggestion that they might be diamonds. He went to the place where they were found and obtained several specimens. Montague, where the find was made, is on the overland winter road between Dawson and White Horse, twenty-four miles back from the Yukon River landing at Tantalus. The fact that volcanic action is traceable in that part of the Territory makes the suggestion all the stronger that possibly diamonds exist there. The most notable evidence of the existence of volcanic action is at Selkirk where ash is noticeable on the benches to a depth of several inches.

ENTERTAIN EXALTED RULER.

SAN JOSE ELKS ARE HOSTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Grand Exalted Ruler Rush L. Holland, Grand Secretary Fred Robinson and Grand Trustee A. M. Hally of the B.P.O.E. were the guests of the Elks of San José and vicinity for five hours this afternoon.

Accompanied by Senator Frank Leavitt and Supervisor Mitchell of Oakland, the party arrived from that city in automobiles at 12:30 o'clock, going to the clubhouse of the San José Elks, where they were given an enthusiastic reception.

After a short time, the visitors were carried to the Hotel Vendome, where luncheon was served. Following this the visitors were carried for a short automobile ride about the city. They then returned to the clubhouse, where a special session of the lodge was held, about 200 Elks being in attendance. At 5:20 o'clock the visiting officials left for Salinas.

MYSTERY.

SEEK SENDER OF POISONS.

HUNTING FOR CLEW TO DEATH OF HARRY BOAS.

Police Have Theory Man May Have Written Letter Sent With Stomach Powders to Himself in Order to Make Suicide Sensational—Looking up San Jose Friends.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That Harry Boas, the electrical apparatus salesman whose mysterious death at his home in San Francisco has been the subject of exhaustive investigation by the police, committed suicide, is the theory of Detective James Gallagher of San Francisco and of Chief of Police Haley of this city.

These officials base their conclusions upon a comparison of the handwriting in the letter in which Charles M. Hauer is supposed to have sent Boas a deadly poison and the writing on postal cards and in letters received by Miss Anna Kelliher, a handsome young woman of this city, who was upon more than friendly terms with the young man.

According to this theory, Boas mailed a letter to himself at the postoffice station yesterday, inclosing in the letter the deadly poison that he took last night with suicidal intent.

Haley and Gallagher account for this action by the statement that Boas was a peculiar young man, whose chief ambition in life seemed to be to create sensations and his mind having been unbalanced by the constant irritation of an intestinal malady and the apparent apathy of a young woman whom he loved, he decided to kill himself in a manner that would give the police a cause for wonder.

The handwriting of Boas compared with that of the note accompanying the person shows similarity in three particulars: The "G," the "Y" and the "H" are identical.

The communication purporting to be from a physician, but which displayed ignorance of the primary principles of medicine, was sent to Boas yesterday by special delivery.

Acting upon clews found among the dead man's papers, a detective was sent to San José to interview Mrs. G. G. Walker, of No. 62 South Fifth street, whose daughter is said to have been a friend of Boas.

Boas is said to have resided for some time at the home of Mrs. Walker, and to have formed, during that time, an attachment for her daughter.

While the envelope containing the letter is missing, it is known the missive was mailed in San Francisco yesterday and delivered by messenger to the elevator operator in the building at Third and Mission streets, where the offices of the electric company are located. The elevator man signed for the letter, in the absence of Boas, who returned later, and who is supposed to have taken it to his home.

The letter received by Boas is as follows:

"SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2, 1908.—Mr. H. Boas. Dear Sir: I have been requested by some friends of yours, as well as mine, in San José, to send you my relief for stomach trouble. I take pleasure in so doing, she having told me that you have been continually troubled with indigestion.

"The two powders which I enclose to you are not only a relief, but cure for the ailment, being mostly composed of papain, which I suppose you are aware, is the greatest of all removers of the albumen from food which gathers in the alimentary canal, leading to the stomach.

"It is not advisable to wait until you are bothered again, as it is that which makes it so much harder to remove the matter which has already gathered there, thereby retaining other matter as it passes through.

"If you will take the two powders mixed together, followed by a glass of whisky or water, before retiring tonight, I can assure you of a cure.

"I shall ask your friend in the near future whether you have a return of the ailment which is the cause of more headaches than anything else.

"This medicine has brought a cure in several cases in my practice and will in your case.

"Kindly excuse haste in which they are put up as I had forgotten them until the last moment.

"Hoping that I have done you service, I remain,

"Yours respectfully,

"CHARLES M'HOWER, M.D.

"(Flower Wawer), San Jose."

The signature to the letter is so illegible as to be susceptible to the three readings appended.

Boas, who was a young unmarried man, resided with his parents. Upon arriving home last night he informed his mother and sisters that he was going to take some powders to relieve an attack of indigestion with which he was afflicted. It was two or three hours after he retired that the women heard screams of agony coming from his room, and they rushed to find him writhing in agony, and complaining of acute pains in his stomach.

Dr. C. F. Griffin, who was summoned almost immediately, diagnosed the case as one of poisoning. He administered emetics without delay, but Boas had already sunk into unconsciousness, and died within a few minutes.

An examination of the contents of he stomach of Henry Boas, made this afternoon, showed the presence of strychnine in sufficient quantity to cause death.

PRINCIPAL WAS SHOCKED.

Took Hold of Wire Fence That Had Been Charged by His Pupils.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A stolen current of electricity, a charged school-grounds fence, a badly shocked principal and dire threats of wholesale expulsion are the principal features of a farce comedy enacted at the North Bellingham High School this afternoon. Some ingenious students tapped a light wire and ran the "juice" to the wire fence around the building. Then they told Principal Edwin Twitmeyer that there was something wrong with the fence and he "bit" and examined it. The shock keeled him over and it was thought for some time that he was badly hurt. A fight of long standing between the principal and the school's football squad, is said to be the motive for the new scheme of revenge.

BANK OFFICER ARRESTED.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

RENO, Dec. 3.—E. B. Cushman, former cashier of the defunct State Bank and Trust Company, and at present a member of the Langley-Cushman brokerage firm of Reno, was indicted by the Tonopah grand jury yesterday on charges of embezzlement growing out of transactions in connection with State Bank affairs. Cushman was arrested last night in Reno and released on $10,000 bonds. He will go to Tonopah to answer to the charges.

BIG RABBIT DRIVE.

Crook County, Oregon, to Wage War on Furry Pests Numbered by the Thousands.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hundreds of Indians from the Warm Springs will help their pale-face brothers sweep jack rabbits off the sage brush plains of Crook county. A big drive is being planned for December 14, that is expected to result in the slaughter of thousands of rabbits. The drive will cover many square miles of Crook county prairies and will last several days.

The farmers and Indians will start at the north end of Agency Plains and will sweep south without dogs or guns, driving the rabbits ahead of them, to a point near the Matoles River, where the lines of the drive will converge upon a large corral in which the rabbits will be slaughtered.

Several similar drives will occur in other parts of Crook county and the war on the furry pests is expected to result in the extermination of most of the rabbits in the county. Of late years they have increased to such an extent as to cause many complaints from farmers because of destruction of crops. In the Agency Plains district a score of the rabbits can be started in a mile's walk through the sage brush.

LOCAL TRAVELERS.

Los Angeles People Registered at Prominent Hotels in Other Cities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at New York hotels: Plass, Mrs. F. J. Stilson; Cadillac, E. T. Howe; Manhattan, L. S. Barnes, Mrs. L. S. Barnes. From Pasadena: At the Manhattan, Mrs. J. H. Dwight.

IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at Chicago hotels: Starford, Georga A. Cook; Majestic, C. Mardietti.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at the St. Francis Hotel: Edward Brundige, W. Peck and wife, Thomas Clark, William Thomas, Richard Thompson, A. R. Lee.

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"After two months on this diet he had nearly regained his normal weight. He took out-door exercise, and got plenty of sleep. He has no more trouble with his stomach, and can eat anything.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The final appeal made direct to the Interstate Commerce Commission against the contemplated increase in freight tariffs to and from California terminal points, was filed by wire today by the California Vegetable Growers' Union, which embraces a number of big concerns. The dispatch, dated at Los Angeles, is as follows:

"On behalf of the following growers and shippers: Celery Growers' Association of Orange county, Placentia Cabbage Growers' Association of Fullerton, Whittier Cabbage and Tomato Growers' Association of Whittier, La Habra Cabbage and Tomato Growers' Association of La Habra, El Monte Celery and Cauliflower Growers' Association of El Monte, Huntington Beach Vegetable Association, of Huntington Beach, Cudahy Cauliflower Association of Los Angeles, Norwalk Vegetable Growers' Association of Norwalk, Coachella Union and Cabbage Growers' Association of Thermal, Earl Fruit Company of Los Angeles, Fay Fruit Company of Los Angeles, Golden West Celery and Produce Company of Los Angeles, Mitchell and Goodall, San Francisco, 'We protest against the advance in freight rate on vegetables contemplated in E. B. tariff No. 3, page 42, I. C. C., No. 867, same being unjust, arbitrary and in restraint of trade, the advance last year of ten cents per hundred restricting shipments this season. We request a hearing before your commission before allowing this advance. Wire date and place of hearing, answer. California Vegetable Union."

The above telegram was referred to Commissioner Lane, who sent the following reply:

"California Vegetable Union, Los Angeles, Cal.

"Your telegram received today on behalf of a large number of California vegetable growers, proceeds upon the assumption that it is within the power of this commission to restrain the proposed advance in freight rates on vegetables. We have no such power. Railroads have the right to initiate rates themselves, and upon complaint and full hearing we may reduce same. Please examine sections 4 and 15 of act to regulate commerce. This commission should have power to temporarily enjoin advances upon complaint such as yours, but no such power has been granted in the law.

[Signed] "FRANKLIN K. LANE,
"Commissioner."

At the instance of Commissioner Lane, Senator Fulton introduced a bill the last session, conferring such powers, and an attempt will be made to secure the passage at this session. At present the only immediate relief possible against the putting of the rate into effect seems to be through the Federal courts. Such action was taken by Judges Hanford and Wolverton in Seattle, Judge Spear in Georgia and Judge Grosscup in Chicago. Lane is watching this matter with a great deal of interest and he is very frank in regretting that the commission has no power to take up such matters on advance on the complaint of shippers, and make an order withholding the effectiveness of such rates until the question of their reasonableness is passed upon.

FRUIT STORAGE IMPERFECT.

GOVERNMENT BUILDS CAR.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—That most of the decay in fruit in connection with its storage comes from improper packing was the consensus of opinion developed today at the session of the American Warehouse Men's Association. The subject to arouse perhaps the greatest interest was the experimental cold storage car built under the direction of the Agricultural Department, which it is the purpose of Secretary Wilson to send to California and afterward to Florida, where there are no refrigerating plants, to conduct experiments with fruit by cooling it immediately at the orchards.

The car is said to be capable of producing a temperature of 15 degs. below zero.

A general talk on cold storage was given by Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief chemist of the Department of Agriculture, who contended that it was more advantageous to cool produce than to freeze it, as freezing, he said, unquestionably altered its natural condition.

RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE.

NEW DIVISION RECOMMENDED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Exclusive of registered matter, the railway mail service during the last fiscal year handled 21,650,849,745 pieces of mail matter, according to the annual report of Second Assistant Postmaster-General Stewart, made public today. Because of practically illegible addresses 35,565,361 pieces required special attention, with the result that 18,988,626 were returned to senders or corrected and forwarded.

A new division of the railway mail service, embracing the States of Oregon, Washington and Idaho and the Territory of Alaska, is recommended.

Favorable consideration of Congress is asked to a recommendation that postal clerks be allowed traveling expenses while away from their homes, and also that postal clerks who have become unfit for active service by reason of advanced age or physical disability incurred in the line of duty be retired with suitable pay.

For the transportation of all classes of mail matter the department during the year expended $31,157,720. A considerable saving was effected in connection with the weighing of mails in the Southern States. In consequence of the use of the new divisor the railroads received $434,720 less than would have been paid under the old system. Altogether the new system of weighing has resulted so far in a net saving of $2,229,168 per annum. Because of the equalization of the rates of pay to transportation companies, the report states, a more equitable basis of compensation has been reached, with results mutually satisfactory to carrier and the department.

Still further economies are recorded. A review of the railway postoffice car service resulted in the readjustment of the car space on a number of routes, thereby effecting a saving of $272,040 during the year.

So-called half lines of railway postoffice cars—that is, where the postal needs in one direction warranted the authorization, but in the opposite direction did not—are dealt with at length. Numerous protests arose over the action of the department reducing certain lines to half lines, and these led to the appointment of a commission to investigate the whole subject. The Postmaster-General approved their recommendation that full pay be allowed for a line of forty-four cars in all cases where a forty-foot car must be run and returned.

The report calls attention to the fact that provision has been made to transport additional weights of mails from Valdez to Fairbanks, Alaska, in the four midwinter months, so as to allow 45,000 pounds increase. The weights on other main lines in Alaska also have been augmented.

Efforts of the department to establish semi-weekly sailings between New York and Porto Rico, it is stated, failed, the steamship companies refusing to make any changes in their practice of having sailings only on Saturdays.

During the year additional parcel-post conventions were negotiated with the Netherlands, Uruguay, Italy, France and Austria, and the parcel-post rate of 20 cents a pound to Bolivia, Chile, Ecuador and Peru was reduced to 12 cents a pound.

DISAPPEARING RACE.

INDIAN AFFAIRS CLOSING.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Reorganization of the Indian service along lines which will prepare it for going out of business at no distant day is the general aim of Commissioner Leupp, according to his annual report, just issued.

A large degree of success, says the Commissioner, has attended his efforts to suppress the liquor habit among the Indians.

The number of Indian pupils enrolled and the average attendance at Indian schools of all kinds, exclusive of four public schools in which Indians were taught, was as follows:

Enrolled 30,637, an increase of 146 over 1907; average attendance 25,802, increase of 162 over the preceding year.

FOR NATIONAL PARKS.

FIGHT RENEWED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—That the advocates of the Federal government's establishing two immense parks in the Appalachians of the South and the White Mountains of New England, will carry on their fight in Congress this winter with unabated vigor is indicated by the plan to begon activities on the third day of the coming session.

On next Wednesday friends of the project will come again before the House Committee on Agriculture, asking that the Brandegee bill, or a similar measure authorizing the establishment of these parks, be reported favorably to the House at an early day.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Satterlee Sworn in.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Herbert L. Satterlee, of New York, was today sworn in as Assistant Secretary of the Navy in the presence of Secretary Newberry and others. He received the officers of bureaus and general officers on duty at the department and at once entered upon his duties.

Withdrawing Troops from Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Gov. Magoon, of Cuba, arrived here today and had a conference with Secretary of War Wright, relative to the methods to be employed in the withdrawal of American troops from Cuba and on other matters relating to the government of the island. The troops, it was expected, would be withdrawn in February. Whether a small body of soldiers would be left there, is undetermined.

HEARTLESS.

OLD MAN LEFT TO DIE ALONE.

BODY PREY TO WOLVES AND COYOTES.

Family Did not Care Enough for Head to Keep Him from Wandering and Remains Were Found After Eight Weeks of Being Dragged Over Prairie.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KENNEBRE (S. D.) Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That a wife and daughter allowed a father and husband to die of starvation and that they did not care enough for him to go out and bring home his corpse are the startling charges that are substantiated by the Coroner's inquest over the remains of W. W. Henry, whose lifeless body, headless and footless, was found after it had been dragged over the prairies for eight weeks by wolves and coyotes.

The formal verdict of the Coroner's jury after examining thirteen witnesses is that the deceased came to his death from hunger and exposure. It is also charged that the immediate family was criminally careless and neglectful. It was shown by the evidence that the old man often wandered from home but usually neighbors saw him go and brought him back. His last junket was noticed only by his family and they did not care. Coroner O. E. Murray said to the daughter on the stand:

"Do you not think that you owed it to your father to look for him after he wandered away?"

This question seemed to insult the young woman for she harshly replied:

"Why should I be expected to run all over the prairies to look for the old man?"

MORE TIME.

TARIFF TALK IS CONTINUED.

Ways and Means Committee Extends Hearing.

Would Like Power to Subpoena Witnesses.

Wool Growers Present Plea for Protection.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The House Committee on Ways and Means decided today to continue the tariff hearings until December 19.

Chairman Payne was authorized to offer a resolution in the House when Congress convenes on Monday, which will give the committee authority to subpoena witnesses for these supplementary hearings.

"There has been some criticism on the part of the newspapers of the methods being used by the committee in conducting these hearings," said Mr. Crumpacker, in discussing the work of revising the tariff.

"This is probably made with the ouject of discrediting in the public mind anything the committee might do. Mr. Taft was a little concerned regarding this criticism when I saw him at Hot Springs, but it is very evident that the committee is unanimous in its desire to go into the matter thoroughly."

"Besides," he continued, "this criticism will have the effect of spurring the committee on to do god work. The committee will make a thorough investigation of the tariff question."

While it is generally believed that some members of the committee are not in sympathy with the movement for a thorough revision of the tariff, it is regarded as certain that such a revision will be embodied in the bill, which will be presented to Congress at the special session for political, if not for economic reasons.

The hearing on wool and wool products was continued today. Representatives of the National Wool Growers' Association, which, it is claimed, includes 75 per cent. of the wool growers of the United States, addressed the committee today. This organization has been prominently identified with the movement for a protective duty, and while its representatives did not ask for an increase in the duties on wool, they requested the continuation of the present schedule.

Hans Schmidt of Buffalo, a representative of the wool-pulling business, advocated a great differential in the duties on wool fleece, and contended it was a necessity if the wool-pulling industry in this country was to survive. He claimed that under the present tariff, the packers were absorbing all of that business.

For the National Wool Growers' Association, J. M. Wilson of Wyoming asked that the present rates of duty on wool be retained. He said that the wool growers were in debt, and asserted that every sheep in Wyoming was mortgaged.

A. S. Ericksen, a Utah wool grower, asked for a continuation of the present tariff on wool, as did D. M. Campsey, a sheep grower of Pennsylvania; E. J. Ewing, who raises sheep in New Mexico, and Mrs. Bonnemort, a wool grower of Utah.

Mrs. Bonnemort is the only woman who has appeared before the committee during the tariff hearings. She told of the difficulties and hardships of the wool growers of Utah during the operation of the Wilson tariff law.

"That was during a Democratic administration," she said, "but we are now enjoying the blessings of a Republican administration and we appeal to the honorable members of that party for protection."

The Republicans enjoyed a laugh at the expense of the Democratic members.

Mrs. Bonnemort urged retention of the present duties.

Mr. Ericksen said the Utah wool growers made an average profit of 8 per cent.

"We are not getting protection to the extent of the 11 cents of the tariff," said he. "The foreign wool imported is 'skirted' so that its shrinkage is only about 35 per cent., as compared with the shrinkage of 64 per cent. of the American wool."

Representatives of the wool-pulling industry appeared to ask for an increase of 4 cents in the differential in the duties on wool fleece and wool on the schedule. The former pays a tariff of 11 cents a pound, and the latter 10 cents.

Henry G. Reinreke of Philadelphia suggested that revenue could be secured if a duty were placed on rabbit skins. These were being imported by hatters, he said, and contained valuable fiber.

"Wouldn't that promote the rabbit industry in this country?" asked Representative Crumpacker of Indiana.

The first advocate of a reduction in the tariff on wool was Andrew J. Lolis, an importer and commission merchant of Boston. He said that the purpose of a protective tariff was to increase production and not prices.

Mr. Lolis claimed that he knew of the existence of a "woolen trust," and said that the duty was too great on the finished product of wool. He desired a reduction of 32 cents per pound on wool and the same compensatory reduction on the manufactured article of wool.

MINISTER LED DUAL LIFE.

Rev. J. G. Van Ness, Prominent in Methodist Church, Exposed as Moral Degenerate.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MARSHALLTOWN (Iowa) Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A sensational exposé today of the dual life led by Rev. J. G. Van Ness, D. D., of Marion, Iowa, proved a shock especially to Iowa Methodism. Dr. Van Ness is one of the most prominent ministers of the State. Rumors that all was not right with him have been rife for some time, but were confined to inner church circles and the general public was unaware that the rumors even existed.

That Dr. Van Ness has for years been a moral degenerate, is supported by affidavits of many persons including several high in the church. Record of his actions has been secured for a period of almost twenty years. Not until recently, however, did any one prefer charges. This remained for a young minister, Dr. Kirk W. Robbins, professor of Biblical literature at Cornell College, Mount Vernon, who declares he has gathered all the evidence necessary to conviction. He demanded of Dr. Van Ness that he surrender his credentials and withdraw from the conference. This, Dr. Van Ness did.

Dr. Van Ness is a man of 58 years. He is married. Dr. Van Ness now is said to be suffering from cancer of the throat, an operation for which was recently performed.

Thirty-five Japanese fishing boats were caught in a typhoon Wednesday off Hatsu Island in Kawatsu Bay, and wrecked. It is reported that 350 fishermen lost their lives.

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WHY NOT?

WETMORE ATE UP HIS BRYAN CONTRIBUTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Hon. Moses Wetmore of St. Louis, on whose selection as national treasurer, the Democratic party was congratulating itself some three months ago, is revealed by post-election information to have contributed part of his time and something like 15 cents net, to the success of William Jennings Bryan.

In the official record of campaign contributions, which the Democratic management made public, as per official promise, Mr. Wetmore is credited with the handsome sum of $1000. There is no dispute over this, Mr. Wetmore separated himself from precisely that amount for the success of the Democratic party, and then ate it up again.

Democratic chieftains who are still viewing the wreckage, do not agree as to the exact amount of Mr. Wetmore's expense account, but one veracious and authoritative statesman raises up his right hand and takes oath that it was exactly $909.85, and when the account between the Democratic National Committee and the Hon. Wetmore, its national treasurer, was squared, the sum total of Mr. Wetmore's contribution to the cause was the 15 cents aforesaid—plus his time.

It is reported, by way of interesting post-election gossip, that the inmates of the national headquarters at the Auditorium Annex were mighty eaters and great trenchmen, that they fell upon the manna which the national campaign fund and the Annex joined to furnish with the utmost rigor, as if it were Republican campaign argument.

There was no objection to this and certainly none to the expense account of Mr. Wetmore. The political strategists recognize that a political army like a military one, travels on its stomach.

Another version of Mr. Wetmore's contributions places his expense account at something between $300 and $900, which would leave the net contribution a bit over 15 cents.

At the same time, Herman Ritter, who, with his three brothers, gave $37,000, as published, made their donations in copies of the New York Staats-Zeitung.

BAROMETER OF COMMERCE.

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW BIG GAINS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—According to the bulletin of the California Promotion Committee, issued today, the clearances of the San Francisco banks for the week ending Thursday noon were $42,469,381, the highest figure for any week's financial business since the disaster in April, 1906, and a gain of 40 per cent. over the corresponding week of last year.

Los Angeles cleared $13,188,886, a gain of 90 per cent.; Oakland, $1,716,211, a gain of 31 per cent. San José with $415,296 and Stockton with $617,904 showed an increase of 12 per cent. over the same period last year; Sacramento, $1,113,131, a gain of 35 per cent.; Fresno, $729,210, and San Diego, $795,287, making a grand total for eight cities of $61,043,410.

RETALIATION.

FRENCH TARIFF HITS AMERICA.

PROPOSED LAW IS INTENDED TO EXACT CONCESSIONS.

Proposition Is to Increase Maximum Rates by Average of Twenty Per Cent.; Minimum Schedule in General to Remain Same as at Present—Many Articles Affected.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] United States manufactured products will be particularly hard hit if the proposed tariff law for France is voted, and M. Meline, leader of the Republican protectionists, and other authorities, assure The Times' correspondent that it will be voted.

The proposed change has been in course of preparation for some time, partly because of the French tariff commission's conviction that if a protective tariff is good for the United States it will also be good for France, and partly on account of the belief of French merchants that they must give up hope that any better conditions will ever be furnished them in American ports.

The articles chiefly affected are: Wrought iron, steel, iron parts for railway rolling stock, automobiles, brushware, feathers, silk, yarns, fishery products, typewriters, pneumatic tires, calculating machines, all kinds of leather goods, including shoes and agricultural machinery and tools.

The commission has practically completed the project of revision, and it will be submitted to Parliament in January. The revision is designed further to strengthen the arm of France in exacting concessions from other countries.

With this end in view, the maximum rates, according to the project, are to be increased by an average of 20 per cent.; the minimum rates in general will remain the same as now. The maximum rates on most articles in which the United States is interested, such as leather, rubber, metals, typewriting machines, machinery, etc., are increased.

CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE.

Sinking of Ferry Steamer Russian Ship Owner Sentenced for Archangelsk.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3.—Alexander Shipoff, the millionaire proprietor of the Neva Ferry line, was condemned today to six months' imprisonment on the charge of criminal negligence in connection with the foundering of the ferry steamer Archangelsk while crossing the Neva last April. Thirty-nine persons lost their lives in this accident.

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POLITICAL.

TAFT OUT OF OHIO CONTEST.

PRESIDENT-ELECT REFUSES TO TAKE HAND.

After Long Conference With Arthur I. Vorys He Finds Senatorial Situation Satisfactory—Refuses to Discuss Selection of Cabinet Until Ready to Announce Whole.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HOT SPRINGS (Va.) Dec. 3.—A thorough canvass of the Ohio political situation was made today by President-elect Taft and Arthur I. Vorys, who stopped here on the way to Cincinnati from Washington.

Mr. Taft is taking no part in the senatorial affair. He was told by his former chief of staff that Chas. P. Taft's control of the situation was at this time most satisfactory. Mr. Vorys will take an active part in the campaign in behalf of the Cincinnati capitalist.

Senator Foraker and Representative Burton also are candidates.

President-elect Taft made it decidedly plain that no information for publication might be expected from him regarding the make-up of his Cabinet until he is ready to make the official announcement of the entire Cabinet.

Acting on this declaration, he declined to discuss the report from Washington that Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, had been offered the treasury portfolio.

The present situation with respect to the matter is understood to be that Mr. Burton has been told by Mr. Taft that he may be invited to accept a Cabinet position and that either the Treasury or State Department may be available in this connection. Should he fail in his ambition for the Senate, it is regarded as a good guess that he will be a Cabinet minister.

Mr. Taft has heretofore spoken very highly of Mr. Burton's understanding of financial matters, and his general high statesmanship qualities.

MRS. CHADBOURNE MAKES FIGHT.

Will Petition Federal Court for Relief in Suit to Confiscate Smuggled Art Works.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Emily Crane Chadbourne and her relatives will not permit the United States government to sell at public auction $62,000 worth of oil paintings, tapestries and bric-a-brac which Federal officials charge were smuggled into Chicago by Mrs. Chadbourne for Mrs. "Jack" Gardner of Boston, without a legal fight.

Mrs. Chadbourne's legal representatives will petition the Federal Court "for equitable relief" in the confiscation suit of the government, and seek possession of the art wares seized by the custom officials when Mrs. Chadbourne imported the goods from London.

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LIFE'S SEAMY SIDE.

GIRL ATTACKED BY MILLIONAIRE.

Milwaukee Clubman Confesses to Assault.

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Dazed by the disclosure that one of his closest friends had informed the police that he was the man, he broke down in his home and admitted that he was the mysterious Mr. Klapp, who was arrested and freed on bail. His admission put an end to all question of identity.

Milwaukee was aroused over the revelations. The subject of Klapp's arrest was discussed in every club, hotel and business house. The prominence of the prisoner had brought him into touch with many classes. His acquaintance in the railroad world extends over the country.

At the time of his arrest Klapp held membership in several big clubs and the presidency of a civic uplift association. What action these societies will take is now a matter of conjecture.

ROBBER BEATS WOMAN.

BLOW WITH PISTOL BUTT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 3.—Following close on the heels of the brutal murder of aged Julius Jurgens, in the St. John lodging-house, No. 409½ Twelfth street, on Sunday night, comes the report of a murderous attack by a masked and armed thug on Mrs. Mary McLeod, in the bedroom of her rown home, at No. 1261 Twelfth street, yesterday afternoon. She was not only knocked unconscious by a blow from the butt of the criminal's pistol, but was robbed of a purse containing $43, as well as her watch, as she lay senseless on the floor. Mrs. McLeod was able to give the police a good description of her assailant.

TEN YEARS FOR MAIL ROBBER.

SECURED $50,000.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 3.—Charles Stevens, the negro accused of stealing a registered mail pouch containing $50,000 from a train here, July 6 last, was sentenced to ten years in the Federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., by Judge Pollock today.

A jury found Stevens guilty on six counts, but the court ruled he could be sentenced on only two of them.

None of the money has been recovered.

WORKS SLICK SCHEME.

Couple Defrauds Department Store Out of Valuable Goods With a Fake Address.

Within the last ten days, Bullock's department store has been duped out of $200 worth of merchandise by a mysterious man and woman who have employed a clever ruse in each instance. A bill of goods amounting to $49 was delivered to them last night, which they successfully carried away. William Pierson, a negro, 18 years old, who delivered the parcel, reported the case to the police and gave a description of the man and woman. From other descriptions, the police believe they are the ones who have been working the same scheme for a week.

According to the police, the man and woman went to the store yesterday morning and ordered the goods sent, cash on delivery, and gave their address at No. 5909 Accord avenue. When Pierson went to the house about 6 o'clock last night it appeared to be vacant. He jumped into his wagon and started off, when a woman rushed out and called for him to stop. She asked him if he had a package for them. He replied that he did and delivered it to her.

When Pierson asked for the amount of the bill, she said that she believed her husband had paid for it and called him out of the house. He declared that he had and asked Pierson to go to a telephone with him and straighten the matter out. While Pierson was telephoning the man, who had remained in the delivery wagon, disappeared, taking the package with him. When he went back to the house he found that it was vacant.

The same scheme was employed last Monday night by a couple when a bill of goods, amounting to more than $100, was delivered to a house on Temple street.

ALIASES FAIL TO HIDE.

Man of Many Names Wanted in Salt Lake City Arrested Here for Embezzlement.

Thomas B. Gibson, alias T. B. Spencer, alias George A. Fair, was arrested here last night at the request of the Salt Lake police on the charge of embezzlement. He is wanted for misappropriating funds amounting to $100 while in the employment of Jones & Hammer, who publish theater programmes. An officer will leave Salt Lake today with requisition papers.

Gibson was arrested while sitting in the lobby of the Lankershim, where he registered last Monday. He gave the name of George A. Fair and his residence as Chicago. Gibson admitted his identity and will return to Salt Lake without a fight.

Gibson went to Salt Lake early in November, and told a hard luck story to the publishing company. He was given work soliciting advertising upon a commission basis. Ten days ago the man communicated with the publishing house, and said he was unable to work because he was ill. On Monday it was learned that Gibson had been collecting money on advertising contracts.

The man was traced to Los Angeles by a package, which he sent by express to Boise City, Idaho, and then telegraphed to have it forwarded here.

HELD FOR LARCENY.

Roy Carmichael, aged 18 years, of Glendale, was arrested last night on the charge of stealing $27 from the coat of A. T. Hepner of No. 1062 West Fifty-first street. Carmichael admitted the theft, the detectives say, and will be prosecuted on the charge of petty larceny. They are both employed by the Pioneer Roll Paper company at No. 319 South Los Angeles street. According to Hepner he hung his coat up in the office Thurs-

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BLOW WITH PISTOL BUTT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 3.—Following close on the heels of the brutal murder of aged Julius Jurgens in the St. John lodging-house, No. 403½ Twelfth street, on Sunday night, comes the report of a murderous attack by a masked and armed thug on Mrs. Mary McLeod, in the bedroom of her rown home, at No. 1351 Twelfth street, yesterday afternoon. She was not only knocked unconscious by a blow from the butt of the criminal's pistol, but was robbed of a purse containing $43, as well as her watch, as she lay senseless on the floor. Mrs. McLeod was able to give the police a good description of her assailant.

TEN YEARS FOR MAIL ROBBER.

SECURED $50,000.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 3.—Charles Stevens, the negro accused of stealing a registered mail pouch containing $50,000 from a train here, July 6 last, was sentenced to ten years in the Federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., by Judge Pollock today.

A jury found Stevens guilty on six counts, but the court ruled he could be sentenced on only two of them.

None of the money has been recovered.

WORKS SLICK SCHEME.

Couple Defrauds Department Store Out of Valuable Goods With a Fake Address.

Within the last ten days, Bullock's department store has been duped out of $200 worth of merchandise by a mysterious man and woman who have employed a clever ruse in each instance. A bill of goods amounting to $40 was delivered to them last night, which they successfully carried away. William Pierson, a negro, 18 years old, who delivered the parcel, reported the case to the police and gave a description of the man and woman. From other descriptions, the police believe they are the ones who have been working the same scheme for a week.

According to the police, the man and woman went to the store yesterday morning and ordered the goods sent, cash on delivery, and gave their address at No. 5309 Ascot avenue. When Pierson went to the house about 6 o'clock last night it appeared to be vacant. He jumped into his wagon and started off, when a woman rushed out and called for him to stop. She asked him if he had a package for them. He replied that he did and delivered it to her.

When Pierson asked for the amount of the bill, she said that she believed her husband had paid for it and called him out of the house. He declared that he had and asked Pierson to go to a telephone with him and straighten the matter out. While Pierson was telephoning, the man, who had remained in the delivery wagon, disappeared, taking the package with him. When he went back to the house he found that it was vacant.

The same scheme was employed last Sunday night by a couple when a bill of goods, amounting to more than $40, was delivered to a house on Figueroa street.

ALIASES FAIL TO HIDE.

Man of Many Names Wanted in Salt Lake City Arrested Here for Embezzlement.

Thomas B. Gibson, alias T. B. Spencer, alias George A. Fair, was arrested last night at the request of the Salt Lake police on the charge of embezzlement. He is wanted for misappropriating funds amounting to $100 while in the employment of Jones & Kimmer, who publish theater programmes. An officer will leave Salt Lake today with requisition papers.

Gibson was arrested while sitting in the lobby of the Lankershim, where he registered last Monday. He gave the name of George A. Fair and his residence as Chicago. Gibson admitted his identity and will return to Salt Lake without a fight.

Gibson went to Salt Lake early in November, and told a hard luck story to the publishing company. He was given work soliciting advertising upon a commission basis. Ten days ago the firm communicated with the publishing house, and said he was unable to work because he was ill. On Monday it was learned that Gibson had been collecting money on advertising contracts.

The man was traced to Los Angeles by a package, which he sent by express to Boise City, Idaho, and then telegraphed to have it forwarded here.

HELD FOR LARCENY.

Roy Carmichael, aged 18 years, of Glendale, was arrested last night on the charge of stealing $27 from the office of A. T. Hepner of No. 1042 West Thirty-first street. Carmichael admitted the theft, the detectives say, and will be prosecuted on the charge of petty larceny. They are both employed by the Pioneer Roll Paper Company at No. 719 South Los Angeles street. According to Hepner he had the coal up in the office Thursday morning. When he went for it last evening, he found that the pockets had been searched and the money stolen. He notified the police and held Carmichael, whom he suspected, until the detectives arrived. The money was recovered.

[AUTHORIZED ANNOUNCEMENT.]

Christian Scientist Answers Critic.

In The Times of the first instant appears a report of Rev. Edwin R. Brown's attack on what he thinks is Christian Science. His unjust and wholly incorrect criticisms entirely miss the mark and serve only to show his unfamiliarity with his subject.

It is passing strange that a Christian clergyman should feel the necessity of violating his Master's admonition "Judge not" in assailing a religion that is daily proving its divine origin in healing sin and disease in accordance with the commands of Jesus.

If our critic were acquainted with the teaching of Christian Science he would have omitted his statement "It seems to see nothing in the Gospel above bodily healing." Just the reverse is the case. The real mission of Christian Science is in the healing of sin, the bodily improvement merely an incident testifying to the spiritual transformation that is taking place. While physical healing is of secondary importance it means much to mankind. Indeed it is the most prominent feature in the three year mission of Jesus. When John asked for evidence that Jesus was the Christ, the answer came 'Go and show John again those things which ye do hear and see: the blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them." Matt. 11:4-5.

Our critic again evidences his total lack of knowledge in the declaration "Its founder insists that there is no body." Such is not the teaching of Christian Science, which clearly proves that man has a body which may be made harmonious through the overcoming of sin, all wrong thinking and action, thus fulfilling the promise given in Phil. 3:21: "Who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto his glorious body according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself."

Our critic thinks that there is no freedom or independence in Christian Science, and that all must obey the mandates of Mrs. Eddy. This erroneous conclusion is instantly dispelled by Mrs. Eddy's own words "Follow your Leader only as she follows Christ."

The charge that Christian Science is not philanthropic is also based upon misinformation. Indeed the work being accomplished by it is philanthropy in its truest sense, as defined by the Century Dictionary "Love of mankind, especially as evinced in deeds of practical beneficence and endeavors for the good of one's fellows."

In healing sin and disease Christian Science is making useful, self-supporting citizens, placing them beyond the need of charity and dependence upon others. Much of this work is done gratuitously, and no one is ever refused aid.

Our critic charges that Christian Scientists are mercenary, presumably because they receive a very modest fee for their services. But if it is right for clergymen to receive salaries for their work, the Rev. Mr. Brown has no grounds for criticism on this score. If it is right for clergymen to receive pay for preaching the gospel, it is certainly right for Christian Scientists to receive recompense for fulfilling the entire command of the Master in healing the sick as well as preaching the gospel. The Bible teaches that the laborer is worthy of his hire and it is only right and just that those who labor to benefit and uplift humanity should receive suitable return for their time. The time is all that can be paid for as the value of the spiritual and physical benefits received can not be paid for in dollars and cents.

Our critics decry the fruits of Christian Science and yet their fruits are those which the Master said would follow true belief. An influence that comes into one's life cleansing him from sin and sickness, making of him a consecrated follower of Jesus Christ and an earnest student of the Bible must be and is divine.

Mrs. Eddy is not "the self-styled mother." This name was lovingly conferred upon her by those, who redeemed from the bondage of the flesh, considered her indeed their Mother in Israel. The fact is, however, that Mrs. Eddy has requested her students to refrain from applying this title to her, her constant endeavor being to direct attention away from her personality to a contemplation of God and His laws. Her supreme wish is that all Christian Scientists should daily and hourly strive for the mind of Christ. Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM E. BROWN.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Failed to Be Gentleman.

JACKSON (Miss.) Dec. 3.—"I have tried to be a gentleman and failed." After penning these words, John Gill, turnkey at the City Jail, shot and killed himself last night. No motive other than that assigned in the note is known. Gill was about 55 years of age and came here from Albany, N. Y.

Fatal Race War.

RENO (Nev.) Dec. 3.—News has just reached Reno of a race war in the Western Pacific construction camp at the north fork of the Feather River, in Northern California, early in the week, in which Peter Syniko was killed and Sam Radichesk was fatally wounded, the victims being among a party of five Austrians who were attacked by a gang of twenty Italians. The Italians were armed with iron bars, pistols and knives, and fearfully beat the Austrians, who had only clubs.

TURKISH GENERAL SHOT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 3.—Gen. Ishmael Pasha, a former aide de camp of the Sultan, who investigated the revolutionary movement in the army last May and who was considered to have been a spy of the old regime, was assassinated last night. He was approached by an officer of the army, who fired five revolver shots at his victim. The assassin escaped.

Prosperity Is Here—Buy Now.

200 pianos must be sold between now and Christmas. Pay a deposit and get receipt for double the amount paid up to $50. HARTLETT MUSIC CO., "The big exchange Piano House," 311-313-315 South Broadway, opposite City Hall.

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GREATER AND GREATER GROW THE CROWDS

If you were here Thursday you would say the sale had reached its zenith. Such enthusiasm, such hustle and bustle, and the bargains are unprecedented. Interest is at fever heat, and now comes Friday with its new price program, and more and more merchandise to be almost given away. They have been carrying it away in truck loads.

What looked to be an inexhaustable supply Thursday fairly melted away and the Bargain tables have been refilled and a new price programme greets you today. We're going to break all records by closing out every dollar's worth of this damaged merchandise, before the clock strikes 6 on Saturday. Every move we make is quick and decisive. Every price means the limit of bargain importance. Friday is to be a day of days. Be here when the doors open.

Store opens at 8:30 A. M.

100 Trimmed Dress Hats Values to $3.50 — 75c

Here's a price for trimmed hats to make things hum, every desirable shape, every style of trimming in all colors to be found in the assortment. 100 of them only, while they last today. 2d floor.

Ostrich Plumes 150 of Them Values to $7.50 — $1.95

We'll close out these high grade ostrich feathers at this ridiculous price. The assortment includes black, white and colors. They measure from 11 to 20 inches While they last today, 2d floor

Men's 50c to $1 Golf Shirts and Work Shirts

Soiled and water soaked. Find these in the annex.

Women's 25c and 50c Underwear

Odds and ends, including vests and pants; water soaked and soiled 5c

Women's $1 Union Suits

They're soiled and wet. Sale price 15c

Children's $1.50 Shoes — 75c

You can't detect the damage here. Lace style. $1.50 kind for 75c.

Ironing Wax 3 Cakes — 1c

The kind with handle. Some of them have been wet. Friday we'll sell them 3 for 1c.

25c Hair Pins Shell and Amber, pkg — 3c

Packages contain from ½ dozen to 1½ dozen different sizes. They've been wet. Notion counter, pkg., 3c.

50c Edition Gift Book — 5c

Lavender and Old Lace, the celebrated gift book. For the first time in a rebound edition; 3rd floor each 5c.

5c Wax Paper 36 ft. Roll — 1c

The rolls are 12 inches wide, just what you want for wrapping lunches, for picnic parties; 5c roll 1c, aisle 3.

Boys' 12½c Ribbed Hose — 5c

They've been slightly wet, they're the heavy ribbed kind, that sell at 12½c always. Second floor, boys' department, pair, 5c.

15c Mottoes In Frame 1c

They're wet, in some cases the motto is blurred, but the frame and the glass is worth more than the price we ask. Third floor, each 1c.

Tin Whistles Slightly Rusted — 1c

It's just like finding them at this price. Here's your chance, boys. There isn't many of them. While they last each 1c. Third floor.

50c Bottles Is Soap — 5c

This is the famous liquid soap; also liquid shampoo, regular 50c bottles. The ingredients are not affected by the water. While they last, Drug Counter, 5c.

Small Red Christmas Bells — 5c doz.

They're not injured near as much as the price. They will be good for Christmas decorations. Choice 5c dozen, Aisle 2.

Box Paper — 21c

35c to 75c Values High grade stationery, in the best of condition. The box is smoked, but that does not hurt the paper or envelopes. Sale price 21c.

Prang's 30c Water Colors — 5c

Four colors and No. 7 brush. The regular price is 30c. They are slightly damaged. Stationery department, 5c box.

Bicycle Playing Cards — 10c

The cases are damaged, some of them are wet. These are the best grades. Sale price 10c.

The White House Cook Books — 5c

You know this famous book. It is water soaked. One case of them, while they last. Third floor, each 5c.

More Books Values to $2. — 5c

Rebound copyrights, linen books, gift books, boys' books and hundreds of other copies. Values range up to $2. Each 5c.

Wide Sheetings VALUES TO 35c — 13c

Water soaked sheetings including Pepperel, Dallas, Pequot and CCC sheeting, ranging in width from 42 inches to three yards. Bleached and unbleached; while it lasts, yard, 13c.

Wet Domestics Worth to 25c. — 6c

All kinds of domestics calicos, ginghams, percales, muslins, water soaked. Values range to 25c. Sale price, yard, 6c.

Basement Bargains

GARMENT HOOKS, SLIGHTLY RUSTED 1c

10-INCH PLATES DECORATED 5c

TIN TABLE SPOONS 1 DOZEN FOR 5c

JARDINIERES, WORTH TO 98c 48c

CHRISTMAS CANDLES 36 TO 48 IN BOX 5c

They're water soaked. As long as they last, box, 5c, basement.

FAMOUS LIBRARY AUCTION.

Lord Amherst's Collection of Priceless Books Is Being Scattered Widely.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The dispersal of the famous library of Lord Amherst of Hackney, one of the greatest book sales of modern times, began in London this afternoon. It attracted bibliographers and collectors from all parts of the world. This magnificent collection, brought together during the last half century at great cost in money and labor, is being sold in consequence of heavy financial losses suffered by Lord Amherst through an attorney, who got away with a trust fund of which Lord Amherst was trustee, to the extent of $1,250,000.

At private sale yesterday fifteen fine Caxtons were disposed of, supposedly to J. Pierpont Morgan. The bidding today was spirited. The celebrated Nazarine Bible was sold to a London dealer for $10,250. The "Apocalypsis Joannis," an original block book of the Low Countries, brought $10,000. This volume at the Crawford sale in 1887 brought $2500. The sale will continue for three days, and will be resumed for four days in March.

PERILS OF MATRIMONY.

Wife Tried Three Times to Kill Husband, Once to Throw Acid, He Says.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three attempts by his wife to kill him, two with gas, the other with a knife, one attempt to disfigure him with acid, and four attempts to commit suicide were cited by Charles J. Dannenbaum, a rich manufacturer, charged with being the affinity of Mildred Hartmann, a South Side society girl, in Judge Barnes's court today as the reason why he should be granted a divorce.

Dannenbaum said that his wife was jealous and had an ungovernable temper. The first instance of her accusation, he said, was soon after their marriage in San Francisco, when the young woman, a former schoolmate, called at the house to see him.

"Mrs. Dannenbaum flew into a great rage," he said, "and it was all I could do to quiet her.

"When we lived at the Hotel Stewart in San Francisco my wife flew into such fits of rage and jealousy that many times I had to hold her until she was quiet. Once she kicked me violently."

POWDER MEN EXAMINED.

Dupont and Mead Testify in Government Suit to Prove Trust.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WILMINGTON (Del.) Dec. 3.—A. Dupont, secretary, and Edward M. Mead, treasurer of the several powder companies against which suit has been brought by the government, were witnesses today before United States Commissioner Mahaffey. They were examined by the government counsel in regard to the purchase of competing companies by the Dupont Company and an effort was made to show that during several years when no dividends were declared, the money was used in purchasing other companies, but this was not admitted to be the case by either of the witnesses.

WILSHIRE, Westlake or southwest property. See Althouse Bros., 430 South Broadway.

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AT LAST.

BOX SPRINGS CLIMB CLASSY

Stanley Steamers Enter for Short Grind.

List Includes Fast Cars and Rivalry Is Keen.

Afternoon Date Will Mean Larger Attendance.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Riverside hill climb has been postponed to Saturday afternoon. The first race will be called at 1 o'clock, and the management promises to run off the card as speedily as possible. The afternoon races will enable local motorists to drive out Saturday morning in time for the climb.

Harry Olive and H. D. Ryus, the committee at this end, after conferring with C. A. Dundas at Riverside, yesterday, decided to put off the hill test several hours in the hope that the extra sunshine will make the course faster.

An interesting card of events is assured. The entrance of the Stanley steamer in a majority of the events adds spice to the races. This fast car is expected to capture several firsts.

The Stoddard-Dayton roadster driven by Frank Siefert, climbed the hill in exactly one minute yesterday afternoon. The course is a mile and a fifth.

The Apperson "Jackrabbit" is expected here today. The car was in Salt Lake Wednesday. H. O. Harrison, who is to drive the racer, is ill in bed. He may not be able to attend the climb.

A list of twenty-three entries for the Box Springs automobile hill-climbing contest Saturday has already been received by Manager C. A. Dundas.

As the entries do not close until midnight tonight, it is expected that this list will be increased by mail tomorrow morning.

The keenest interest of the climb centers in the twelfth and thirteenth events, which are for roadsters costing from $2000 to $3000, and for the roadster free-for-all class. In this event the Chalmers-Detroit "Bluebird," Apperson "Jackrabbit," and the Stoddard-Dayton will compete.

Owing to the character of the track it has not been injured by the rain. Even if there should be but five or six hours of sunshine before the races the course will be in good condition. The first race will be called at 1 o'clock, Saturday afternoon.

The list of entries, not including the first three, which are for motorcycles, is:

Fourth event: Runabouts or roadsters, $1000 and under:

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Stanley—H. C. Gilbert	20	$850
Buick—H. T. Brown	22	900

Fifth event: Touring cars, $1000 to $1250.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Tourist—Auto Vehicle Company	22	$1,200
Stanley Steamer—H. C. Gilbert	20	1,250
Oakland—Woodill Auto Company	30	1,250

Sixth event: Touring cars, $1251 to $1500.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Stanley Steamer—H. C. Gilbert	30	$2,000
Oakland—Woodill Auto Company	40	1,750

Seventh event: Touring cars, $1501 to $2000.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Tourist—Auto Vehicle Company	40	$2,150

Eighth event: Touring cars, $2001 to $3000.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Oldsmobile—H. O. Harrison	35	$2,750

Eleventh event: Roadsters, $1000 to $2000.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Stanley—H. C. Gilbert	20	$1,350
Tourist—Auto Vehicle Company	22	1,200
Rambler—W. K. Cowan	32	1,500

Twelfth event: Roadsters, $2000 to $3000.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Stoddard-Dayton — Stoddard-Dayton Motor Car Company	60-65	$2,500
Apperson "Jackrabbit"—H. O. Harrison	45	2,450
Rambler—W. K. Cowan	45	2,500
Corbin Model O—E. A. Huene	30	2,500
Chalmers-Detroit—Western Motor Car Company	40	2,750
Normand—Anthony		2,750

Thirteenth event: Roadsters, free-for-all.

Car—Owner—	H.P.	Factory price.
Chalmers-Detroit—Western Motor Car Company	40	$2,750
Stoddard-Dayton — Stoddard-Dayton Company	60-65	2,500
Apperson "Jackrabbit"—H. O. Harrison	45	2,450
Corbin Model O—E. A. Huene	30	2,500
Rambler, 4A—W. K. Cowan	45	2,500
Rambler, 5A—W. K. Cowan	32	2,500
Normand—Anthony		2,750

Pigeon Club Show.

The California Pigeon Club will hold its third annual exhibit of fancy utility and flying pigeons in Oakland, December 10 to 13, inclusive, at which time a large number of the feathered stock from many portions of the State is expected to be on display. Handsome trophy cups will be awarded to the best birds in the different varieties.

Saturday Tennis.

At the Venice Country Club tomorrow afternoon, in addition to the final of the mixed doubles of the 1908 tournament, there will be exhibition matches by the Misses May and Florence Sutton. There will not be any admission fee charged.

Barry Back Again.

Big Jim Barry returned to town last night from a brief visit East to see his mother and he will probably begin training this week for his fight with Kaufman before the Jeffries club on the night of December 31. He seems to be in fine condition.

Southern State League.

C. A. Nagle has handed in his resignation as secretary of the Southern State League, but the board of directors has not accepted it. Nagle claims that his players are discriminated against by officers of the league.

New Till Christmas Sale.

$50 pianos at wholesale prices with a receipt for double the amount paid up to $50. BARTLETT MUSIC CO., "The big exclusive Piano House," opposite the City Hall on Broadway. Open evenings.

FIVE SOPHOMORES WIN.

California Classes Take Part in Cross-country Run for the Alumni Trophy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERKELEY, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual interclass cross-country run at the University of California, together with the Alumni Trophy Cup, was won this afternoon by the sophomore team, composed of Boylston, L. Smith, Trowbridge, Briggs and S. Brown, the first five men of any one class to finish.

The freshmen took second, the seniors third, and the juniors last. The time for the course of five miles was 34m. 35s. McPherson of the freshmen team was the first man to finish, while Clabaugh of Anaheim, running for the juniors, took third. Forty-two men finished out of the forty-four that started.

Russell Beats Crawford.

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.) Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four rounds were all that were required by Unk Russell of Philadelphia to beat Tommy Crawford of San Francisco. In the fourth, Russell sent a short uppercut to Tommy's jaw that dropped the western boy. Crawford was up quickly, but was dazed, and Unk hit him on the top of the head. Crawford pitched forward on his head like a man turning a somersault. He got up again and was groggy. Russell landed again, and he was helpless. Referee Bailey stopped the bout.

Win Entire Series.

TOKIO, Dec. 4.—The All-American baseball team left today for Kobe, where three games will be played with Japanese nines. The Americans won the entire series here.

Billy Lauder Beaten.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 3.—Billy Lauder, champion boxer of Canada, met his first defeat at Calgary, Alberta, last night, in a fast fifteen-round bout with Eddie Merrinno of Seattle.

COMING.

BEST ELEVEN FROM NORTH.

Alameda High School Team on Its Way Here.

Bay Boys Hope for Weather Chilly and Damp.

Los Angeles Boys Revive After Bad Slump.

The Alameda High School football team, accompanied by Russell P. Baker, secretary of the San Francisco Academic League, Coach "Pete" Smith, and "Bill" Reid, the former Harvard University coach, left San Francisco last night and is expected to arrive in this city early this morning. Fourteen players are in the squad.

The northern pigskin chasers are reported to be in excellent shape and expect to defeat Los Angeles High School and capture the State interscholastic championship tomorrow afternoon. The Alamedans are considered the strongest band of football players ever collected in the North, and they are coming south with more confidence than any other High School team that has ever come here to meet the blue-and-white aggregation.

"Pete" Smith, the Alameda coach, is a former University of California player. He is confident that his players will win tomorrow if the weather is not warm. The northern boys are used to playing in chilly, damp weather, and Smith is fearful that in case they are forced to play in hot weather the northern boys will not put up their best game.

"Bill" Reid of Belmont Military School is accompanying the Alameda team and he will act as an official. He probably will referee and Coach Warner of Sherman Institute will umpire. Reid is the best known football man on the Coast and his presence on the field will be one of the leading football events of the year.

The Alameda team is one of the heaviest elevens ever organized in the North and the local boys will have no advantage in this respect. Both elevens average more than 160 pounds. Capt. Kiser, who plays right halfback on the Alameda eleven, is considered one of the best interscholastic players ever developed about San Francisco Bay.

The Los Angeles High School team is working hard in preparation for the match. Coach Noble has been conducting daily practice at Fiesta Park and he says the players will give the northerners a warm reception. Individually, the players are determined to give the best they have to land the State championship. The High School student body is displaying intense interest over the game and it is expected that 1000 blue-and-white rooters will be on the bleachers to cheer the team.

The local eleven is expected to line up with the same men as in the previous games of the season. Maguire, who was injured in the Santa Ana game, is recovering more rapidly than was expected, and he will start the contest in his regular position. All the other players are in excellent physical condition and prepared to play their best game.

On account of the class of the contending teams, the contest tomorrow should be one of the most interesting of the season. The elevens are the best High School teams in the State and to the winner indisputably will belong the State interscholastic football championship.

Football Team of the Alameda High School,

which is to play the Los Angeles High School team at Fiesta Park Saturday. At the top are Pete Smith, coach, and Dr. Thompson, principal. Next in row are Brush, quarter; Graff, full; Kiser, right half and captain; Baum, left half, and Bronson, center. The two players next to the left are Bates and Etter, and the one to the right is Medcraft, all subs. In the bottom row are Gelderman, end; Porter, sub.; Parker, tackle; Anthony, sub.; Bruzzone, left guard; Sigfried, tackle, and Bruzzone, end. Right guard absent.

OF ITS KIND.

OCEAN RACING YAWL FIRST ON THE COAST.

THE launching of the fine ocean racing yawl built by Capt. Muller at the Banning ship yard on Mormon Island, San Pedro harbor, for James A. Gibson, Jr., of this city, is considered an important event in the development of the sport in local waters. This beautiful new craft will probably take her maiden dip next week. The launching will not be a formal affair, but plenty of salts are expected to be on hand.

This new yacht, the first designed and built on this part of the ocean for deep-sea cruising and ocean racing, looks the thoroughbred from her sharp nose to the fine run of her counter. Her lines, when they were laid down, promised a fine, powerful boat, and a fine turn of speed. The completed hull promises the same thing, only more so.

STAUNCH RACER.

Capt. Muller, who designed and built the yacht, has combined the fine lines of the racer with a powerful midship section, showing a hard bilge, the lines, however, running out fair fore and aft. That the boat will be easy in a seaway, and that she will be as stiff as a church, and carry her sail easily when the other fellows are beginning to tuck in a reef or two, is the unanimous opinion of all the shellbacks who have visited the ship yard on Mormon Island and looked over the new boat. Furthermore the boat is built to withstand anything in the line of bad weather that may be dealt out at any time during the year.

Some of the rocking-chair fleet of the South Coast club prophesy that she is too heavy in point of construction. Capt. Muller, however, promised a seaworthy boat, and his idea of a seaworthy boat is a craft that will stand all kinds of weather and make port safely in spite of the rage of Old Neptune. Consequently the new ocean going cruiser is as staunch as wood and iron and skilled workmen can make her.

The outside of the hull of the new boat is entirely finished and she presents a very handsome appearance, with her fine, biga ends and powerful mid-section lines. In many ways the new boat will probably be the handsomest craft of her size anchored in any port along the South Coast. The deck is laid in narrow strips and finished bright, which, with the mahogany rail caps, cabin house, skylights and coaming, gives the yacht an unusually rich and "shippy" look on deck.

LUXURIOUS FITTINGS.

Work on the inside of the cabin is going on very rapidly, and just as soon as this is completed the vessel will be launched. The new craft will be as luxuriously and handsomely fitted inside as she is shipshape outside, every modern convenience being installed in the way of berths, fittings and plumbing.

Immediately following the launching of the new yacht, her spars will be shipped, the rigging set up, and the sails bent. Capt. Gibson intends to keep his boat in commission in winter and summer, and expects as much sport with her in one season as in the other. In fact, she was designed with this end in view; hence the heavy construction and ability to face winter weather on the open sea.

Local yachtsmen have watched the construction of the new boat with a great deal of interest, and more interest, if anything, is manifested in the coming trials of the new yacht to take place soon after the launching. Much is expected of her, and as Capt. Gibson will have all winter to tune up his boat for the ocean races next summer, he will have her in as good condition as any of the other yachts in the South Coast Club to face the starting gun, and the shellbacks look to the yawl class to furnish some of the greatest racing during the coming season ever witnessed in local waters.

SAN DIEGO IN LINE.

The building of the one-design class of dories by members of the South Coast Yacht Club started quite an epidemic of the one-design fever in South Coast waters. Some San Diego yachtsmen visited this city and the microbe got busy with them. When they went home to the city of bay and climate the disease spread with truly wonderful rapidity.

A class of dories was discussed, but the southern club finally decided to build a class of skipjacks. The plans were drawn, bids secured, and then the members were called on to take a hand and build the boats. A remarkable enthusiasm was at once manifested, owing to the workings of the one-design microbe, and the success of the class is assured, nine of the boats having been ordered already. Most of these boats are already under construction and it is the plan to get them out in time for a season of winter racing on the bay. The remarkable success of these two classes shows probably better than anything else could the rapid growth of the sport of yachting in Southern California waters.

OUT OF COMMISSION.

All of the larger racing yachts of the South Coast Yacht Club fleet are now out of commission for the winter, these boats giving way entirely to the dories for the winter season. All of the flyers are moored in the creek back of Terminal or longside the Mormon Island channel; sails are stowed, spars unshipped, and altogether the anchorage presents a very bleak and lonesome appearance in comparison with the life and bustle aboard the yachts during the season just closed.

ASTONISHING.

FAVORITES GET FIVE EVENTS.

FORM PLAYERS ARE SURPRISED AT THE RESULTS.

Three Winners Held at Prices Too Short for Any but the Professional Gamblers—Animus First by Twelve Lengths in Fourth Event—Heavy Going Makes Time Slow.

Favorites ran away with almost everything yesterday at the Arcadia races, and the sports who stuck strictly to the "dope" had no trouble in picking the winners, for the nags ran well to form. The only horse the average bettor could play was the winner of the last race, which was Oriflamb at the fair odds of 5 to 1, and they did not go to this one owing to tips on John Lyle, which ran second, and Skyo, fourth at the finish.

The track was heavy from the rain of the previous night and fast time was impossible, and the fair-sized crowd that saw the races passed the afternoon betting on supposed "good things" that did not come near winning. The Peer was the tip in the second race, and after being backed from 15 to 6 to 1, finished fifth. In the fourth race, Bye Bye II got a strong play; in the fifth, Ampedo caught it, and in the last, Round and Round was backed heavily from 30 to 7 to 1 on tout rumors, but got away last in the field of seven and managed to finish sixth.

As showing how the prices on the winners were, it is only necessary to quote Old Timer in the third at 1 to 5; Animus in the fourth at 2 to 5, and Lord Nelson in the first at 3 to 5. These prices were too short except for the professional gamblers.

The card was a fairly attractive one, and the feature was supposed to be the fourth race at one mile, and it might have been a good one had there been any nag in it besides Animus. This one jumped into the lead at once, led by two lengths at the half, five at the three-quarters, eight in the stretch, and twelve at the finish. Almost all of the victories were easy ones. Results:

Five and one-half furlongs: Lord Nelson, 119 (Treubel,) 2 to 5, won; Sarcinesca, 119 (Ural,) 13 to 5, second; Free Knight the Bear, 119 (Powers,) 5 to 1, third; time, 1:10 2-5. Brennus, Golden Rule and Desmages also ran. Orelio, Andoche, Fleming and Mintia scratched.

Six furlongs: Enfield, 108 (McGee,) 3 to 1, won; Rose T., 103 (Page,) 7 to 2, second; Hardlyson, 108 (Powers,) 9 to 2, third; time, 1:16 4-5. Yankee Daughter, The Peer, Fred Maier, Nebraska Lass, Lula G., Lucky Mate and Galvini also ran.

Mile: Old Timer, 108 (Powers,) 1 to 5, won; Hasty Agnes, 105 (Martin,) 10 to 1, second; Adriuche, 100 (Burns,) 7 to 1, third; time, 1:41 1-5. Bucket Brigade also ran. Mark Anthony II and Light Wool scratched.

Mile: Animus, 107 (Powers,) 2 to 5, won; Orcagna, 103 (Yorke,) 12 to 1, second; St. Kilda, 98 (Wilson,) 30 to 1, third; time, 1:41 2-5. Bye Bye II, Uncle Henry, Hi Caul Cap and Skylark also ran.

Six and one-half furlongs: Lee Harrison II, 100 (Burns,) 7 to 5, won; Elizabeth F., 100 (Fain,) 16 to 1, second; Haber, 104 (Archibald,) 16 to 5, third; time, 1:22. Belle of Iroquois, Ampedo, Pinaud and Tendercrest also ran.

Seven furlongs: Oriflamb, 100 (Wilson,) 5 to 1, won; John Lyle, 102 (Page,) 8 to 5, second; Third Rail, 103 (Goldstein,) 30 to 1, third; time, 1:29. Skyo, Warner Griswell, Round and Round, and Diamond Nose also ran.

TODAY'S ENTRIES.

Five furlongs, two-year-olds: Bellethorps, 105; Galinda, 105; Miss Polly, 105; Tanama, 105; Emmerke, 105; Beeswax, 105; *Street Singer, 100; Echopus, 105.

One mile: King Leopold, 112; Adoration, 107; Sidney F., 107; Taos, 107. Homeless, 107; Goldway, 107; Town Topics, 107; *Dainty Belle, 107; Summer Cloud, 107; Earl Rogers, 105.

Five and one-half furlongs: Orello, 112; Nonie Lucille, 109; Royal Ascot, 109; Miss Fairbanks, 109; Kerry, 109; Tim O'Toole, 109; Brush Up, 109; Platoon, 109; Byron, 109; Mintia, 107; Fleming, 104; Old Settler, 104; Sonalto, 104.

Seven furlongs: Proper, 112; Niblick, 109; Senator Beckham, 105; Anona, 104; Elizabeth F., 104.

One and three-sixteenths miles: *Col. White, 102; Merlingo, 110; Capt. Burnett, 101; Alma Boy, 107.

Six furlongs: Yankee Daughter, 107; Dredkin, 107; Alice Collins, 107; Traffic, 105; Tom Reid, 105; Lucky Mate, 105; Maid of Gotham, 102; Helen Harvey, 102; Pert, 102; Mattie Russell, 102; Modena, 102; Osorine, 97.

*Apprentice allowance.

EMERYVILLE RESULTS.

M'DANIEL HANDICAP RACE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 3.—The McDaniel Handicap, feature of the card at Emeryville today, resulted in the clever victory of Dorante, the favorite, while Boggs beat Frank Flittner for second money. Cressina was the second choice and raced out with Deutschland, but in the stretch the saddle slipped and after that she failed to cut much figure in the running.

Favorites and well-played horses were again successful in a majority of the races. Anna May won her sixth race since the opening of the season when she beat May Amelia in the third. She was bid up from $700 to $1000 by Charles Sanford, and retained. E. J. Ramsey, Harry Mack and T. O. Webber put in claims for May Amelia and Ramsey secured her through shaking dice.

Six furlongs, purse: Joe Rose, 105 (McCarthy,) 10 to 1, won; Capt. Hansen, 102 (Gilbert,) 8 to 1, second; Incentive, 107 (Scoville,) 9 to 1, third; time, 1:14 3-5. Bishop W., R. M. Brown, Orlin, Ormonde, Osceola, Smiling Jack, Faneuil, and Flossie also ran.

Six furlongs, purse; Beau Man, 113 (Walsh,) 8 to 5, won; Oesa, 111 (Lee,) 6 to 5, second; Light Knight, 107 (E. Sullivan,) 12 to 1, third; time, 1:15. Foot Loose, Assay, Ida Hewitt, Semper, R. H. Flaherty, also ran.

Six furlongs, selling; Anna May, 111 (McCarthy,) 7 to 20, won; May Amelia, 108 (Keogh,) 13 to 5, second; Mabel Hollander, 106 (E. Sullivan,) 25 to 1, third; time, 1:13 4-5. Bravoure, Inspector Bird, Expectant, Banpos and Baiona also ran.

Seven furlongs, McDaniel Handicap; Dorante, 108 (Levy,) 9 to 10, won; Boggs, 90 (Walsh,) 17 to 1, second; Frank Flittner, 105 (Kirschbaum,) 20 to 1, third; time, 1:26 3-5. Cressina and Deutschland also ran.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling; J. R. Laughrey, 112 (Miller,) 5 to 1, won; Lady Alda, 100 (Trammell,) 9 to 2, second; Sir Brillar, 112 (Keogh,) 12 to 1, third; time, 1:48 1-5. Herodotus, Haupala, Prince of Orange, Aftermath, Kelowna and King Brush also ran.

Five furlongs, purse; Pajorita, 102 (McCarthy,) 6 to 5, won; Booger Red, 105 (Kirschbaum,) 7 to 1, second; Cloud Light, 107 (Miller,) 12 to 1, third; time, 1:06 2-5. Twilight Queen, John A. Mallon, F. Nugent and Workbox also ran.

Date Is Denied.

BAKERSFIELD, Nov. 3.—The football team of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Los Angeles has written here for a game with the High School on Christmas. The local players have the date occupied with a league game.

TIPSTERS.

TOUTS AND CAPPERS UNDER SURVEILLANCE.

THE touts and the cappers who are flooding the city with their alleged tips on the Arcadia races will probably have to cut out their bunco games, for the new City Prosecutor, Guy Eddie, announced yesterday that he will give them until this morning to wind up their business and quit.

Police were sent out yesterday to investigate cases of complaints that boys were selling these tips on the streets, and a report will probably be made to the City Prosecutor today and action taken at once to stop the cappers.

The touts became bold in their operations in the last two weeks after they learned that an action brought in the Police Court, under the provisions of the city ordinance adopted last March, had been decided against the city, but the case has been appealed to the Superior Court and a decision is expected soon. It is not settled by any means, and no matter how the decision goes it will not affect the new prosecutions that are expected to be made next week.

The case on appeal concerns but one of the four sections of the ordinance and was really only a preliminary case to decide the question as to whether or not newspapers had the legal right to publish the "form charts" of the races. The action was before Justice Chambers on section 2 of the ordinance and he ruled that the particular section could not be enforced, as it was a history of races that had passed, and that such charts did not contain anything that would lead a person to bet on future races. Unless the case is decided in favor of the city, no more prosecutions will be attempted under this particular section No. 2.

Of the four sections in the ordinance, the first one refers to tips or advance information of future races, the second concerns the publication of form charts, the third the publication of index numbers for horses, and the fourth to the time made in "workouts" or trials made other than in races. A number of blank complaints have already been drawn under these sections, and it is expected that these complaints will be issued tomorrow.

City Prosecutor Eddie states that he does not intend to become hysterical over this or any other matter, but that if the race-betting ordinance is unconstitutional, the only way he can be shown is by putting it up to the courts.

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The Japanese and Koreans in Seoul have subscribed most liberally to the new building, and it is understood that the original sum of 10,000 yen ($5000) secured by the late Durham Whyte Stevens from the Japanese in Tokio, will be increased by the original subscribers to 20,000 yen ($10,000,) out of respect to the memory of Mr. Stevens, who was assassinated by a Korean in San Francisco last March.

IN THE RING.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GALVESTON, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John W. Gates has again sprung into the limelight, and now appears as the promoter of a new circus, which will make its first tour next summer. It is intimated that the new venture will represent an investment of at least $1,500,000, and it will be independent of the trust. It will include the Bostock aggregation of animals and the equestrian show of Rhoda Royal, with other shows which have been bought or leased or otherwise acquired by Gates and his associates, who are not known as yet, but who are admitted to be men known to the amusement world.

In his characteristic style, Mr. Gates said that his connection with the New York hippodrome is responsible for his "getting into the show business, and he is going to play her to win."

"It's a chance speculation in which the other circus plungers seem to be making at least 3 per cent. on their money," said he. "And why not every man his own bill poster? I am learning to spiel that our circus will be the greatest show of animals and other attractions ever seen in America. We may go broke, but men go broke in gold-mine investments and don't even have the animals or the tents to put up for board.

"But a few men have made good in the business, and we are conceited enough to believe we can make the thing go, at least it will be a big show while it lasts, and I will try and make it pay. I have other things to occupy my time and money, but if I must be a showman, I will go the limit."

RICH NECKLACE RECOVERED.

Stolen in Memphis, Tenn., It Turns up in New York in Strange Manner.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—A chance remark to Police Inspector McCafferty of this city, by the young son of one of his friends to the effect that he knew a man who had a fine necklace for sale led to the recovery today by Garrett E. Lamb of Clinton, Iowa, of a pearl necklace said to be worth $15,000, which had been lost since last February.

McCafferty called to see the necklace and seized it. He was told by the man who had it, that a Los Angeles pawnbroker had sent it to him for disposal here. After diligent inquiry by the New York police, a circular was obtained offering $2000 for the return of just such a pearl necklace as the one that had been seized here.

Then followed the visit of Mr. Lamb to New York, and the identification of the necklace.

Mr. Lamb said he was a guest in the home of Frank G. Jones in Memphis, Tenn., last February, when burglars entered the house and got away with $25,000 worth of jewelry, of which the necklace was a part.

The price asked for the necklace by the man holding it here was $9000.

KIPLING RELATIVE ARRESTED.

Brother-in-Law of Author Accused of Larceny by Woman Whose Property He Managed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BRATTLEBORO (Vt.) Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Beatty Ballestier, Rudyard Kipling's brother-in-law, was arrested this morning on a warrant charging larceny. The charge is made by Mrs. Agnes A. Baker of Cleveland, who specifically accuses him of appropriating to his own use goods and property to the value of $300, belonging to her. Ballestier was taken to jail, where he remained until tonight, when he was released on $1000 bail.

The arrest created a sensation here, where Ballestier is well known. He is a real estate agent, and had been given management of Mrs. Baker's summer home when she left here for Europe early in July.

She returned about two weeks ago, and says she found Ballestier had practically stripped her fifty-acre estate, hal sold everything that could be moved, and had gone so far as to rent tillable land and pocket the rental. This is not the first time Ballestier has been in trouble. Several years ago, while his brother-in-law, Rudyard Kipling, was living here, he got into difficulties, and a warrant was issued charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. Through the influence of Kipling the affair was settled and the matter so hushed up that but few ever heard of it.

BUILDING SUBMARINES.

Germany Takes up Hitherto Neglected Branch of Naval Construction.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

BERLIN, Dec. 3.—The German Admiralty, which up to the present time has been more backward than any other naval administration in home building of submarine vessels, has determined to go into this branch of naval construction heavily, with a type of submarine that is the result of three years' experiments at Kiel.

In addition to the sum of $2,500,000 in the budget of 1909 for this purpose, it is said that $3,750,000 will be asked for in 1910.

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$20.00 TRIMMED HATS	$10.00
$25.00 TRIMMED HATS	$12.50
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Pretty elderdown dressing sacques; semi-fitted styles; prettily finished with large, round collar. Buttonhole stitching and scallops. Long sleeves. Various colors and designs; 75c garments, 49c.

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The 318 recipes for hot Spanish and Mexican dishes and the hygienic department are big features of the publication. The recipes, brought out by The Times Prize Cooking Contest, are generally from Southern California housewives and noted chefs. Price 25c; by mail 5c additional. Address THE TIMES, Los Angeles.

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TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, 531-533 S. SPRING st. Advertisements and subscriptions left at the new Spring-street office of The Times will receive as careful attention as at the main office. Competent clerks in attendance.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: PUBLIC notice is hereby given that having separated from my wife, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by her. [Signed] H. C. JONES.

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PERSONAL— Business.

PERSONAL— BYRON STANLEY, OLDEST-ESTABLISHED, BEST-KNOWN PSYCHIC ADVISER IN CALIFORNIA. His name a double guarantee. 449½—S. SPRING ST.—449½.

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PERSONAL— MRS. MASSON, The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST. (over Owl Drug Store,) by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.

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PERSONAL— THE BEST. MME. ANNUVE, THE WONDERFUL TRANCE PSYCHIC AND MENTAL HEALER. READINGS 50C THIS WEEK. The intrinsic value of her advice cannot be measured by pecuniary standards, for by her potency bad conditions are changed to good; grief and trouble are easily dispelled, and hopes and ambitions realized. 524½ S. BROADWAY (bet. Eighth & Ninth.)

PERSONAL — THE WORLD'S GREATEST ASTRAL SEER AND PSYCHIC. MILBURN. WHEN CONSIDERING A PSYCHIC consult the best. Milburn is the acknowledged leader of them all. Permanently located in Los Angeles. He advises you with a power higher than human. He brings sunshine and success in your life, telling you how to overcome enemies and obstacles. Work guaranteed. 428 W. SIXTH ST. Hours 10 to 8, daily and Sundays. 5

PERSONAL—TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, 531-533 S. Spring st. Advertisements and subscriptions left at the new Spring st. office of The Times will receive as careful attention as at the main office. Competent clerks in attendance.

PERSONAL—CONSULT WITH HENLEY, SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC. Gives dates, facts, figures. Readings daily. 534½ S. BROADWAY, bet. 5th and 6th. 4

PERSONAL—I WOULD LIKE TO FIND the whereabouts of Mr. William Thomas, formerly of 109 Logan st., Pasadena. D. T. KLING, 103 Logan st., Pasadena, Cal. 6

PERSONAL—JOHN SLATER, READINGS daily 10 to 4. THE CHULA VISTA, 317 W. Third st. 4

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, EXPERT PALMist; ladies, 25c; gents, 50c. 520½ S. SPRING. 5

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, EXPERT astrologer and palmist. 202½ S. Spring. 5

PERSONAL— Business.

PERSONAL—PROF. W. E. KING, 247 S. HILL ST. 247. ASTRAL DEAD TRANCE SPIRIT PSYCHIC. SEER AND PALMIST. BY PUBLIC REQUEST. SPECIAL READINGS THIS WEEK—50c—50c—50c—50c—50c.

To receive the 50c readings you must cut this advertisement out and bring it with you. He gives dates, facts and figures, reliable and important advice on all matters of interest in business transactions, lawsuits, contested wills, damage suits, deeds, mortgage, claim.

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PERSONAL—MADAM KARMA. MADAM KARMA. MADAM KARMA. WORLD'S GREATEST SEERESS. WITHOUT ASKING ONE QUESTION, BEFORE YOU UTTER A WORD, Karma gives dates, facts, figures. Tells you of loved ones, living or dead. YOUR SECRET TROUBLES, the cause and remedy; in fact, tells everything. Gives infallible advice on all affairs of life, including business, law, health, changes, travel, patents, financial troubles.

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WANTED— Help, Male.

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 420 E. Sixth st. Home 5253, Main 2704. COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS. Ranch hands, house and window cleaners. 15 HOUR OR DAY CONTRACT.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, YOUNG MAN to do janitor work in return for free scholarship at S. P. Telegraph School; this will include all benefits and position when competent; value of scholarship, $90. Apply S. D. MACKAY, 542 Central ave., Los Angeles. 3

WANTED—AN EXPERT MANUFACTURER of celluloid goods; must understand the business in all its branches; a good opportunity for the right man. Call between 9 and 10 a.m., First and Spring, HOTEL NADEAU. 5

WANTED—I MADE $50,000 IN FIVE YEARS in the mail order business; began with $5. Any one can do the work at home in spare time. Send for my free booklet. Tells how to get started. HEACOCK, box 712, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PARTY TO write comical sketch for vaudeville; must be a "screamer;" have good people for a funny one. Apply between 10 and 12 today, to LEO CHAPMAN, room 18, 800½ E. First st. 2

WANTED—LIVE AGENTS TO HANDLE greatest money maker on market. Don't fail to investigate. Can clear five dollars day up. Call or write PEERLESS SPECIALTY CO., 119½ S. Spring st. 4

WANTED—A NURSERYMAN WHO HAS had experience in fruit tree nurseries. A good opening for a young, energetic man, who is anxious to advance on his merits. Address BOX 1210, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED — GOOD SALESMAN TO SELL patent preparation to retail druggists, only on commission basis; good chance for right man. Apply, give 'phone and address. Address A, box 46, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED DYE works wagon driver; must have references; wages $10 per week and commission; must be acquainted with city. MARKS EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125 E. 2nd st. 4

WANTED—SALESMAN WITH THOROUGH knowledge of Los Angeles hay trade; must furnish A1 references and bond; none others need answer. Address B, box 222, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 4

WANTED—WE WANT ONE OR TWO LIVE advertising men, also solicitors, for live up to date monthly magazine. Pay good quick money. AMERICAN, 234 Bradbury Bldg. 4

WANTED—STRONG BOY TO DO GENERAL work about a bottling plant; must room at works or come early in mornings. Call 2640 N. GRIFFIN AVE., after 12 o'clock today.

WANTED—BRIGHT, HANDY, CLEAN BOY, age 17 to work around theater; must live at home and not smoke or drink. GLOBE THEATER, Fifth and Los Angeles. 4

WANTED — SOLICITORS TO SOLICIT combination accident and health insurance. Salary and commission to right parties. Room 318 MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG. 5

WANTED — BARBER FOR COUNTRY, $18 guaranteed; good steady job; we have a large stock of furniture and supplies at lowest prices. EMIL KIRCHNER, 130 N. Main st. 4

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS CAKE BAKER and decorator; man to take charge of new bakery in city; must be A1. Address B, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—PRESSER; MUST BE STEADY and first-class. Call at once, MONARCH CLEANING WORKS, 1917 S. Hoover. Phone Home 25405, West 425. 4

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WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO HAS HAD some experience in baking shop. 711 W. WASHINGTON. 4

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WANTED—MAN TO DIG CELLAR AND build a concrete wall and area. Main 2506 or F8579. 1111 SECURITY BLDG. 4

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WANTED—JAPANESE PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT CO., Leading agency and contract office. Phone Home F1078, Main 1714. House and window cleaning department. Female Department. 631 W. SIXTH ST., Los Angeles, Cal. ATTENTION—Beware of imitators who are using our firm name, "PACIFIC." 15

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WANTED—ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary. No canvassing. Send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, box 761, Lockport, N. Y.

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WANTED—TEMPERANCE MAN, RIGHT away, to take an interest in fine paying straight, honest, cash business; one who can invest $250 with his services; a money maker that will pay you $25 per week salary; clean, agreeable work; hours from 8 to 5; experience not necessary; money secured. Call 702 S. SPRING ST., room 206.

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WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, ASSIST in office and look after collections; small investment required. Call 411 S. MAIN, room 509. 4

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WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST WITH LIGHT house work in a good home. Call in morning at 435 N. FIGUEROA. 5

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WANTED—A RANCH COOK, $35 A MONTH; before 8 o'clock this morning. HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 204 E. Second st. 4

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS TAILORESS. APply 814 E. WASHINGTON ST. 4

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WANTED— Waitress, Imperial Valley, $30 etc.; girl for mixed work, same place, $30 etc.; cook and waitress, mother and daughter, $75 etc.; cook, boarding-house, country, $50 etc.; girl, mixed work, same place, $25 etc.; woman, clean bathrooms, $30 etc.; working housekeeper, rooming-house, $8 week; cook, Randsburg, $40 etc.; lady barber, Arizona, $16 week; housegirl, New Mexico, $30 etc.; housegirls, $30 etc., $25 etc.; girl to assist, $20 month. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. Second st. 4

WANTED— Head cook for institution, near city, $40; first-class family cook, city, $40; second girl, city, $25; girl for cooking and downstairs work, country place, $35; general house girl, city, $25; many other city and country, $25 to $35; girl for mixed work, institution, Arizona, $25 and fare; girl to care for child and do some upstairs work, $30; young girl to assist. HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 455 South Broadway.

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WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops at home for wholesale house; steady work; good pay; experience unnecessary; unlimited instruction free. IDEAL ART CO., room 18, 415½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—WAITRESS, HOTEL, $25 MO.; city waitress, country, $25 mo.; housegirls, $25 to $30 mo.; colored cook, $30 mo. Call and see us. HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 204 E. Second st.

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WANTED—A NEAT, RELIABLE GIRL TO take care of child and do upstairs work; references required. Apply mornings, 923 LAKE ST.

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WANTED—SALESWOMAN FOR OUR PERfume and toilet goods department; none but experienced and competent people need apply. VILLE DE PARIS, 317 to 325 S. Broadway.

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WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR COOKING and general house work. Small family. Apply 1761 W. 24TH. Take W. Adams car. 6

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WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND OFFICE man with years of experience, desires position on salary and commission; preferably in real estate office. Address B, box 242, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 4

WANTED—POSITION BY DOUBLE-ENTRY book-keeper and cashier, 15 years' experience in manufacturing company; accurate and reliable. Address B, box 246, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 5

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, TYPEWRITer, wishes position on large cattle ranch, Arizona or New Mexico; willing to do other work if necessary. Address B, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG BOY WANTS job of any kind, from 10 a.m., to 4 p.m. GEORGE, care Pacific Employment Bureau. Phones F1078, Main 1714. 631 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—POSITION AS SALESMAN FOR automobiles, gasoline engines or machinery of any kind; well acquainted with the city and county. Address B, box 249, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, YOUNG MAN FROM college, well equipped, but inexperienced, wants position as clerk, driver or any kind of work indoors or out. Address 3319 BARBEE ST.

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WANTED — YOUNG MAN, BRITISH, wants any kind of work, used to the care of horses or cows, five years American experience. Address A, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—ENGINE MACHINIST FOREman, all repair; best reference; will go anywhere; 26 years' experience. Address A, box 162, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—FOR A GOOD PAINTER OR paper hanger. Call 318 CALIFORNIA ST., or Phone A9636. 4

WANTED—YOUNG MAN GOING TO evening school, wants job driving automobile during day time for room and board. Address A, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—JAPANESE STUDENT WANTS position of light work for his room and board, but no wages, in the vicinity of Pico st. and Westlake ave. 25656. FRANK. 5

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE, first-class cook, wants position in private family; has best references. FRANK, phone A2793, or Main 2660. 4

WANTED — POSITION BY REGISTERED druggist; 20 years' experience; good salesman; reliable and capable of managing. Address B, box 108, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—EXPERT CASHIER AND BOOKkeeper wants position; best city references; 10 years' experience. Address B, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—SITUATION, BY A COMPETENT florist and gardener; single German, best of city references. Address GARDENER, 215 Boyd st. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS ADVERTISEMENT WRITER; CAN COMBINE WITH OTHER WORK. A. E. HAEBERTIN, 1478 E. 43RD ST. 6

WANTED — EXPERIENCED COLLECTOR; will take city collections on percentage basis. Address A, box 149, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—BY NIGHT SCHOLAR, YOUNG man, situation in private family with small wages. Address A, box 132, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—TO GET POSITION AS AUTOmobile cleaner, washer. Call up TAKAHASHI, Phone Main 5462 or F4998. 7

WANTED—POSITION AS PORTER IN HOtel, country or city; best of references. Address ZZ, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GOOD CAMP cook. Address 671 CERES AVE., corner Seventh st. 5

WANTED—POSITION BY ALL-AROUND orchard and ranch hand. Address N. ROOM 23, 419 Ruth ave., Los Angeles. 5

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE SCHOOL boy wants work in nice place. DEJIMA, F6591. Broadway 2557. 5

WANTED — JAPANESE BOY WISHES house work, school boy, position in family. OUYE, 110 N. San Pedro st. 4

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, GOOD EXPERIenced man; good references. Address A, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS COLLECTOR OR any other work. Phone BROADWAY 2152. Good references. 7

WANTED—SITUATION BY ALL AROUND butcher, country preferred. Address A, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, GERMAN, will take care of place or rent; understands farming. 717 KOHLER ST. 5

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WANTS TO work in family half day or as school boy. YAMA, 319 Boyd st. Main 3389. 5

WANTED—HOUSE PAINTING AND TINTing by day or contract. 242 BURTZ ST. 6

WANTED—TREE PRUNING. ADDRESS B, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—RELIABLE CHRISTIAN YOUNG woman desires position as housekeeper. MISS B. Phone South 70. 4

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE WANTS PERmanent nursing; will help with housework. PHONE 71318. 5

WANTED — A1 STENOGRAPHER SEEKS permanent position; small salary to start. PHONE MAIN 2600. Room 99. 4

WANTED — HOUSEKEEPER; NURSERY governess, business woman, wants any honest work. Tel. TEMPLE 888. 6

WANTED—POSITION BY LADY WITH hospital experience. PHONE A2849. 5

WANTED—POSITION BY AN EXPERIENCed child's nurse. Phone BOYLE 292. 5

WANTED—BY GOOD PRACTICAL NURSE, cases; references. Phone EAST 962. 6

WANTED — BY GERMAN WOMAN, DAY work on Saturdays. TEL. TEMPLE 805. 4

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER; light work in small hotel or rooming-house; understands thoroughly the care of house and linen; country preferred. F. W., 444 S. GRAND AVE., Los Angeles. 5

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FROM THE East would like to get addressing at home; is fine penman; can address 2000 envelopes a day. Phone Broadway 3629. Call after 9 a.m. MISS HOLMES. 5

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-KEEPER or stenographer; 6 years' experience; will leave city; can furnish best of references. Address B, box 239, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 6

WANTED — THOROUGHLY COMPETENT woman desires to exchange work mornings for room and board; rooming-house or hotel preferred. Address B, box 95, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED — EXPERIENCED STENOGRApher desires position in lawyer's office; terms very reasonable. Address B, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—PEOPLE'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 341½ S. Spring st. 'Phones Broadway 2252, A7764. All kinds of help supplied. Cooks, housegirls, waitresses, chambermaids, etc. 4

WANTED—AN EASTERN LADY WANTS situation as housekeeper for elderly gentleman or lady. 'Phone West 5623, or address A, box 167, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—EXPERT BOOK-KEEPER AND stenographer desires another set of books or good-paying position; references. F6555. BROADWAY 1529. 4

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER; run rooming-house, commission or wages; any position of trust. Phone 21577. Address B, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—HAVE SERVED 15 YEARS IN the Red Cross National Association as nurse; I need work; what have you to offer? Address A, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED CHAMBERmaid, position in first-class hotel; would not mind leaving city. Address L. Mc., B, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—YOUNG LADY, FIRST-CLASS vest maker, from the East, would like to get vest making at home. Phone Broadway 3629. Call after 9 a.m. MISS PAULSEN. 5

WANTED—YOUNG LADY, WILLING TO assist with housework, for small wages; do not answer unless you can offer a good permanent home. Phone WEST 1761. 4

WANTED—GOOD, STEADY GIRL, WISHES position housework and plain cooking, city, Santa Monica or Hollywood. Address B, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—POSITION BY MIDDLE-AGED widow woman to care for rooming-house; has had experience. Address 1331 THALIA ST. Mrs. Mary Way. 10

WANTED — SITUATION, MIDDLE-AGED colored woman; cook and downstairs work for small family; wages $20. Dec. 15. Address B, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—UP TO DATE WOMAN DESIRES position of chaperon, companion or secretary for board; references. Address B, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS desires washing and ironing in private family; wages $2 a day. MRS. ZIMMERMAN, 1114 San Julian st. 4

WANTED—LADY WITH CHILD WANTS situation to do chamberwork; small wages, room and board. Address A, box 159, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED — BY LADY WITH TWO CHILdren, housekeeping rooms in exchange for few hours' work; rear rooms preferred. Address A, box 168, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—LADY, EXPERIENCED BOOKkeeper and conversant with all details of office work, desires permanent position. Address A, box 163, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—YOUNG LADY WOULD LIKE to do sewing or any other work after 6 o'clock, or Sunday. 932½ S. BROADWAY. 4

WANTED—A POSITION BY A COMPETENT elderly lady as houseworker; best of references; close. 'Phone A3603. 536 COURT ST. 4

WANTED — WASHING, IRONING, HOUSEcleaning, by competent woman or man. 'PHONE A4629, MAIN 1695. 5

WANTED — BY SWEDISH AND GERMAN girls and women; reliable help. 'Phone A5639, Main 1695. Room 2, at 101½ S. BROADWAY. 4

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—GERMAN COUPLE WANTS SITuation, wife A1 cook and ironing; man to take care of automobile and general housework; gardener; a good caretaker; private home or family hotel, city or country. F. B. KOENIG, 2515 Hoover st. 4

WANTED — QUICK SERVICE COLORED cooks, waiters, porters, mechanics, laborers, general housework; hotel work especially. COLEMAN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 211 E. Second. Phone Broadway 2306, A2879. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE COUPLE WISHES situation, man as cook, wife wait on table and house work; many years' experience; both speak English well. G. T. HARA, 228 Jackson st. 7

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, SEVERAL good parties on hand for ranch, private or hotel. 'Phone A6629, Main 1695. 101½ S. BROADWAY, room 2. 4

WANTED—POSITION, JAPANESE COUPLE, First-class cook, house maid, city, country. MARRY, 315 Wall st. 5

WANTED—IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF A man and wife on ranch, one who has good references, phone MAIN 393, or A4860. 4

WANTED— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—A FEW BRIGHT MEN, CAPable of earning from $50 to $200 a week; references required. Apply between 1:45 and 2:30 p.m., W. A. GORDON, ground floor, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

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WANTED—LADY AGENT TO SELL AN article all women need; most women buy; something new; easy to sell; big pay. Call at 330 S. HILL.

WANTED — INTELLIGENT EDUCATED ladies as agents. Experienced preferred. Good pay to willing workers. 632 WEST 6TH ST., suite 107. 10

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER; A BUILDING CONcern has a demand for more new houses than it can build with its present capital, and wishes to take in a limited partner up to $10,000. All money and transactions put through a reliable trust company. You can be perfectly safe and turn your money three times a year with a 10 per cent. profit on each turn. Best of bank references. Address S.S., box 275, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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WANTED—PARTNER WITH $4000 TO INcrease business established four years, paying from $500 to $700 per month, that will stand rigid investigation. Address P.O. BOX 587, Goldfield, Nev. 5

WANTED—LADY TO ASSIST ADVERTISER in the purchase of a rooming-house; ½ ownership and full control will be given lady for a small amount of cash. Address B, box 49, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER IN OLD-ESTABlished downtown business; present income $300 per month; rare chance for enterprising man with small capital. Apply room 314, 122 W. THIRD ST. 4

WANTED—PARTNER TO MANAGE OFfice in old-established business; must have good references; salary to start $25 per week; $300 required. 311 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. Main st. 4

WANTED — PARTNER, PARTY WITH about $500, go partnership with good farmer to raise hogs on alfalfa ranch in Imperial Valley, big money. Address X, box 200, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—PARTNER, HONORABLE, CONgenial party; fine ground floor office; established real estate business; $400. Address A, box 193, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—ADVERTISER WOULD LIKE another to join him in placer mining, with $100. Address B, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED—ROOM WITH USE OF KITCHen, in a private home, with good people, and in a good locality, by a young man. Address B, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—SUNNY HOUSEKEEPING ROOM by gentlemen; must be reasonable; walking distance. Address B, box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—FOUR HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, within six blocks Fourth and Broadway. Address B, box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED— Rooms and Board.

WANTED—2 FRIENDS WOULD LIKE 2 pleasant warm rooms, with board if possible, in a nice Jewish family. Address B, box 57, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT A SUITE OF THREE rooms for light housekeeping near Eighth and Olive, for 3 adults; must be reasonable. HUGHES, A5890. 4

WANTED—BY YOUNG COUPLE, 3 OR 4-room furnished flat or cottage, close in; state particulars. Address B, box 235, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 4

WANTED—TO RENT 3-ROOM FURNISHED house, no matter where, but cheap. 244½ S. BROADWAY, room 3. 4

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED — TO RENT 25 TO 5[0] lodging house, east of Main st., [...] $2.50 per room, would consider west st., not over $3.50 per room; we [...] furniture ready to put in. Call [...] Monday or Tuesday, J. R. RICHA[...] TEL BROKERS CO., 221 Laughlin [...]

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WANTED—DESK ROOM, WITH [...] phones, for fire insurance and lo[ans], desk and chairs; prefer either Gros[se] or Security buildings. Address A, [...] TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—A FURNISHED HOU[SE] city of about six rooms, well locate[d], must be reasonable. What have you? [Ad]dress BOX 98, Sawtelle, Cal.

WANTED—IN BUSINESS DISTRICT, suite of rooms with private bath, [...] for first-class bath establishment. Ad[dress] box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—IN BUSINESS DISTRICT, suite of rooms with private bath, [...] for first-class bath establishment. Ad[dress] box 175, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT RANCH WHERE erything is furnished. Phone EAST [...] or address A, box 131, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—FROM OWNERS GOOD ORANGE GROVES. Have several good pieces of city income residence properties to exchange for groves, any price, up to $20,000. Call or full particulars of your grove if you [want] a quick deal. THOS. C. BUNDY & [CO.] F4858. Main 4286. 207-8-9 Wright & Callender [Bldg.]

WANTED—LIST YOUR PROPERTY [WITH] E. C. Cribb Co. for quick sale. Lots and small acreage; nothing too small [or too] large for us to handle. G. W. Connell, manager R. E. dep[t.], of E. C. CRIBB CO., Tel. Home A2240, Sunset Main 608, [...] Broadway.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A 4 TO 6-[ROOM] cottage on easy terms, west side, [...] 16th and Sunset. State full particul[ars, lo]cation, whether east, south or north fr[ont]; only, also cash payment required. Add[ress] box 3, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — 8 OR 10-ROOM RESI[DENCE,] high ground; Wilshire district pre[ferred;] garage; large lot; not over $10,000; own[ers] full particulars, quick, waiting to get [...] P.O. BOX 789.

WANTED—TO BUY A STRICTLY [FIRST-]class hotel of about 75 rooms; must b[e mod]ern and new and close in. Will do b[usiness] only through owners; no agents. Call [or ad]dress 304 STIMSON BLK.

WANTED—FROM OWNERS ONLY. Bargain lot, Arlington Heights sectio[n], cash buyer; also one for good A-1 second [mort]gage, $1500, 8 per cent., on Westlake p[...] Address A, box 84, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LEMON OR ORANGE [GROVE,] good property, from owner, for Tu[...] rigated land, to $10,000 or $15,000, cle[ar] clear. M. J. FERGUSSON, 723 Mer[chants'] Trust Bldg.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE 5-ROOM [mod]ern cottage for cash, Boyle Heights, b[etween] Fourth and Sixth sts., west of Eucli[d], from owners. FOLLIS & STEAD, 52[...] bury Bldg.

WANTED—$250 LOT, FOR A HOME[STEAD] relinquishment, of 160 acres, fine level; sickness makes this a snap. OSBURN [...] CO., 405 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—EUCALYPTUS LAND, 160 [...] geles or San Diego counties. Must b[e ...] Have buyer waiting. ANDERSON IN[V.] Braley Bldg., Pasadena.

WANTED—TO BUY. WANTED AN OW[NER] to sell me 5 or 10 acres of clear lan[d] near Glendale or La Crescenta. [...] RUTZ, 508-509 Grosse Bldg.

WANTED—THE BEST-LOCATED, C[HEAP] priced lot in the Oneonta Park or [...] Pasadena section. FARNSWORTH BRO[S.,] Lissner Bldg., 524 S. Spring. F1200.

WANTED—TO BUY NICE 5 OR 6-[ROOM] bungalow, near Moneta car line; [...] $2000; give best terms. 303 CENTRAL [...] Main 2992; F8310.

WANTED—PAYING ORANGE GROVE, H. G. HAGERTY, 304 Fay Bldg., 34[...]

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED — WE BUY ANYTHING [YOU] don't want, one piece or house full, [...] second hand ladies' or gents' clothing, hats, furniture, carpets, stoves, [...] glassware, bric-a-brac, trunks, valise[s, bed]ding, old gold, silver, brass, copper, tools of all kinds, invalid chairs, sew[ing ma]chines, orders will receive prompt [atten]tion. Call up Home A1224, BROADWAY [...]

WANTED — SECOND HAND C[LOTHING,] etc. We positively pay highest [price for] ladies' and gentlemen's second hand [...] shoes, trunks, valises, bedding, [...] carpets, china, glassware, cutlery, [...] and al manner of sporting goods. Te[lephone] calls will receive propmt attention. MAIN 2937.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICE PAID [FOR] household and office furniture. Give us a chance to figure on your goods before disposing of them. Largest second [hand] store in Los Angeles. JAMES COLGAN & CO., 711 to 715 S. Spring st. Main 3058, F3958.

WANTED—FURNITURE. WE PAY B[EST] EST CASH PRICE FOR OFFICE [AND] GOOD, CLEAN HOUSEHOLD FURN[ITURE] IN LARGE OR SMALL LOTS. COLGAN'S, 635 S. Main st., opp. P. E. Dep[ot], Ring up F2467. Main [...]

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WANTED — LUMBER; JOB LOT; [...] seasoned clear white or sugar pine, [...] and up lenghts; cut widths; delivered [...] car; name quantity, location and lowest price. SALYER-BAUMEISTER CO., [...] Avenue 20, Los Angeles.

WANTED—TO BUY YOUR FURNI[TURE,] one piece or house full and then [...] cash or exchange. We want a good [...] house and a restaurant outfit. All [...] swered promptly. SKEELS BROS., [...] Main. F7015. Main 3042.

WANTED—SELL OR EXCHANGE [...] old furniture. We have thousands [of cus]tomers waiting to buy it. 'Phone [...] 1117, Home F3171. COLYEAR FURN[ITURE] CO., 509-511 S. Main.

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE [...] household goods. If you have one piece or house full, we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone us. Main 1117, F3171. COLYEAR'S, 509-511 S. Main.

WANTED—AN AIR COMPRESSOR [...] gasoline engine, suitable for an artes[ian well]. Write particulars and prices to BA[...] BROS. CO., P. O. box 685, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, F[URNI]ture, carpets, any quantity. Highest price paid. RHOADES & RHOADES, [...] S. Main st. 'Phones Main 1250, F1258.

WANTED—FOR ART CURIOS, AN[TIQUES,] jewelry, silverware, laces, old painti[ngs,] engravings; will pay the highest pri[ce] [...] W. WASHINGTON ST., near Figuer[oa].

WANTED — BUY HOUSEHOLD FUR[NISH]ings, bankrupt stocks, showcases, [...] cash or exchange. Both 'phones. [...] BROS., 511 Main.

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WANTED—DIAMOND, CLEAR, [...] stone about one carat. WILLIAMS, [...] Hill st.

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WANTED—WISH TO BUY A LA[RGE] strong trunk, reasonable. Address [...] 104, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A CLEA[NING] and pressing shop. Address A, [...] TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICES PAID [FOR] second-hand clothing. Main 6960. 512 E. [...]

WANTED—DIAMOND SOLITAIRES; [...] cash. SCHEPPS, 444 S. Broadway, [...]

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEA[THER] beds. 758 SAN PEDRO. Main 1166, Home [...]

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE, [any] quantity. Ring up F3388.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

WANTED—RHEUMATISM CASES. [We] pay cash for them. 306 SAN FERN[ANDO] BLDG.

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TO LET—2 NICELY FURNISHED [...] Westlake district, private family, [...] accommodations, near two car lines. [...] ANGE ST. 'Phone 51669.

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TO LET — SINGLE AND HOUSEK[EEPING] rooms. THE CRANBROOK, 506 S. [...]

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TO LET—LARGE, NICELY FURNISHED sunny front room, in upper flat; opposite Westmoreland Place; private family; ½ block from Pico Heights car; very reasonable. 1217 VERMONT AVE.

TO LET — WILL GIVE HOUSEKEEPING rooms in modern flat to couple to care for boy 6 years old during the day (goes to school;) parents employed. Address B, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 6

TO LET—CHRISTIAN ROOMING-HOUSE; A clean, moral place, in the center of town; rates from 25c to 75c per day; special rates by week or month. 227 S. MAIN ST., over Peniel Hall. 7

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TO LET—COUPLE GENTLEMEN WANTING good accommodations, with private family; young folks; piano, phone, good location. Call 1334½ MAPLE AVE. 4

TO LET—COMPLETE HOUSEKEEPING, sunny; beautiful home; rates permanent adults; Westlake; walking distance. 767 GARLAND AVE.

TO LET—OPPOSITE WESTLAKE PARK, TO gentleman or visiting people; beautiful front room in widow's home. Call 631½ ALVARADO ST.

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TO LET—STRICTLY MODERN 4-ROOM flat; rent $14; water free. Inquire 2061 SAN PEDRO ST. 4

TO LET—4-ROOM UPPER FLAT, (CORNER) $10. 2602 CENTRAL AVE. 5

TO LET—6-ROOM MODERN SUNNY FLAT, near Angels' Flight; 529 W. THIRD ST. 4

TO LET—5-ROOM FLAT; RENT REASONable. 330 ALBANY ST. 4

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET — A HANDSOMELY FURNISHED sunny flat, in the Westlake district; private home; piano, Turkish rugs; everything complete; right price to right people; no children. Address WATSON, 622 S. Bonnie Brae. 6

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TO LET—4-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, 1 block from Westlake Park, $25. Inquire 2223 W. EIGHTH ST. 6

TO LET—6-ROOM FLAT, COMPLETELY furnished, 3 blocks west of Figueroa. 459 BRIXEL ST. Main 8825. 5

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TO LET—$20; 5-ROOM LOWER FLAT; plenty of sunshine; neat and clean; gas and electricity. 2909 E. FIRST ST. 5

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TO LET — FURNISHED APARTMENTS, back yard, barn, all modern, $25 per month if taken for six months, $28. Address 1216 S. HILL ST. 5

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TO LET—$1.50, $2.50; DESIRABLE ROOMS, 1314 W. 10TH. Some housekeeping; 2 lovely front rooms, $10, with parlor. 5

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TO LET — HOTEL DARLINGTON, JUST opened, large, sunny, front rooms, elegantly furnished. 619½ W. SIXTH ST. 4

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TO LET—2 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR light housekeeping. 615 S. OLIVE ST. Phone F4088. 6

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WITH connecting kitchen; bath and laundry; all conveniences. 1233 S. OLIVE ST. 5

TO LET—NICE, NEAT FURNISHED ROOMS, $1.50 per week; board if desired. 351 S. OLIVE ST. 9

TO LET—2 FRONT ROOMS FOR HOUSEkeeping, $12; single room, $7. 133 S. FIGUEROA. 4

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING room, $1.75, $2 week. 546 E. PICO. 4

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TO LET—
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TO LET—2 FINE MODERN 4-ROOM FLATS near S. P. shops, Clover st., very cheap, about $10. Inquire 207 GRANT BLDG., Fourth and Broadway. A5454; Main 4176. 4

TO LET—4-ROOM MODERN LOWER FLAT, 2 grates, close in, $18 to adults. 248 N. FLOWER.

TO LET—4-ROOM NEW FLAT, POLISHED oak floors, bath and screen porch, wall beds. 2??? MILLARD AVE., Pico Heights. 4

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TO LET—WILL BUILD APARTMENTS and flats to suit tenant and lease for term of years on my lot 50x130, frontage on two streets; 1 block from St. James Park. Apply to HANSEN MOORE, Home Phone 71162. 6

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Nicely furnished housekeeping suites; 2 and 3 rooms; $16 to $25; 1 block from Third-st. tunnel. 9

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TO LET—HOTEL OTTAWA, 759 OTTAWA; all outside rooms, from $8 month up; meals a la carte; headquarters for Michigan people. 9

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TO LET—ONLY $20 PER MONTH, 6-ROOM modern house, 13?? W. 37th st. WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO., 424 S. Hill st. F3614, Broadway 2670. 5

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TO LET—ADULTS ONLY 5-ROOM MODERN cottage-flat; rent $20. 1400 MAPLE AVE. Tel. Broadway 3791. 5

TO LET—10-ROOM HOUSE, CLOSE IN, 1025 Santee st.; rent $40; also 6-room flat, $20. OWNER, 443 S. Los Angeles st. 4

TO LET — 5-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, 4 bedrooms, southwest. Call up EXCHANGE 722, either phone. 4

TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE, 1549 E. 40TH st., $11 month, water paid. OWNER, 541 E. 30th st. Phone South 1990. 6

TO LET—3-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $12 month, water paid. 541 E. 30TH ST. Phone South 1990. 7

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TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, 232 W. 41ST PLACE. Key next door. $21 per month. 6

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TO LET—$20, NICE MODERN 5-ROOM COTtage, lawn, flowers, barn, water paid. 855 E. JEFFERSON. 6

TO LET—10-ROOM HOUSE, MODERN CONveniences, barn, at 1026 WALL ST. Key on premises. 6

TO LET—MODERN COTTAGE, CLOSE IN, $20; choice location. 1635 SANTEE ST. 5

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TO LET — 11-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED, S.W. district; term of years, $150 month. 1725 W. ADAMS. 'Phone 72523, 3 to 6 p.m. 6

TO LET — ONE YEAR, FURNISHED 8-room house, modern, 1310 HOOVER ST. Rent $50. Phone W. 2778. 7

TO LET—A MODERN 4-ROOM COTTAGE, furnished. Inquire 1325 SUNSET BLVD. Phone Temple 1131. 4

TO LET—NEW BUNGALOW, FURNISHED, five rooms. 136 GARFIELD PLACE, Hollywood. 3

TO LET—A 5-ROOM COTTAGE, ALL MODern; all furnished, at 416 E. 38TH ST. Take San Pedro car. Key at 414, in rear. 7

TO LET—8-ROOM COMPLETELY FURNISHed house, Westlake district; open grate and furnace; price $70. 923 S. UNION AVE. 6

TO LET—FURNISHED COTTAGE, 3 ROOMS and bath; near car line. 1601 W. 35TH Place. West 5486. 6

TO LET — $12 MONTHLY, 3 FURNISHED rooms; bath, gas, electricity. 115 N. CLARENCE. Phone Boyle 2005. 6

TO LET—2-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED OR unfurnished, with large chicken yard, $7 a month. 1709 MORTON AVE. Temple 56. 6

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED, OUR 12-room home at 1406 ALVARADO TERRACE. 'Phone 21649, or call after 1 p.m. 5

TO LET—5-ROOM COTTAGE; ALL MODern conveniences furnished. Apply 1158 W. 37TH PLACE. 6

TO LET—4-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE, with water, $12. 1201 EAST 52ND ST. Phone West 3630. 6

TO LET—NEW BUNGALOW, FURNISHED, five rooms, 136 GARFIELD PLACE, Hollywood. 6

TO LET—$45; 1405 HARVARD BLVD., COMpletely furnished 2-story 7-room residence. 6

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 6-ROOM cottage. 1204 W. 24TH ST. 4

TO LET—FURNISHED; 9-ROOM MODERN house, $90 per month. 2281 W. 22ND ST. 6

TO LET — COMPLETE AND NICELY FURnished 6-room cottage; lawn, fruit, flowers, garage, poultry yard; rent $45; owner an elderly man, would like to retain bedroom and board with tenant, allowing $25, taking cash rent $20; vacant this week. 1096 W. 30TH ST. West 4282. Yellow University car.

TO LET—FURNISHED.
21 minutes from First and Main; the finest 13-room house in South Pasadena; garage, furnace; lot 100x162, on corner.
SEE HARTER FOR HOMES,
308 Byrne Bldg.
A2130, Broadway 2036. 4

TO LET—FURNISHED NINE-ROOM MODern house, 1445 DANA ST., half block from Adams and Vermont. Furnace and gas fuel in every room; auto building 16x16; lot 50x185, south front. Price $100 per month. Inquire 1445 DANA. Home Phone 71650. 5

TO LET — NEW, MODERN, UP-TO-DATE bungalow, 5 rooms, completely furnished, large rooms, 3 clothes closets, piano, fireplace, buffet, gas range, stationary wash tubs, large yard, lawn and flowers, S.W., near 2 car lines, close in. 'PHONE 71510. 6

TO LET—SEVEN-ROOM FURNISHED BUNgalow; gas and electricity, instantaneous water heater, hot water in bathroom and kitchen; telephone, lawn and flowers, piano; $30. 865 E. 42D ST. Take San Pedro street car. 'Phone South 4310. 6

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED 4-ROOM cottage, only $17 per month. Inquire 525 LORENA ST. Take Euclid-ave. and Indiana-st. car; off at Lorena st., walk 2 blocks north. Home phone 41360. 4

TO LET—FOR ABOUT 6 MONTHS, MY handsome new bungalow, 7 large sunny rooms, completely and nicely furnished, responsible tenant. 2601 DALTON AVE., corner W. Adams. Afternoon. Phone 72383. 4

TO LET—COTTAGE OF 4 OR 6 LARGE sunny rooms and buffet kitchen, gas, bath and electric; everything modern, furnished complete with piano; adults. 3rd house below Central ave. 1131 EAST 34TH ST. 4

TO LET—FURNISHED 5-ROOM COTTAGE; house rents for $16; will give use of furniture for use of 1 room; modern; close in; near car line. Apply at once. 336 N. BEAUDRY. 4

TO LET — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED bungalow, Glendale, 25 minutes from city, to adults; piano, oriental rugs, Haviland. Call between 11 and 2, 1220 S. OLIVE ST., Los Angeles, room 11.

TO LET—$60; 12 ROOMS, 1318 LENOX AVE. $50—8 rooms, 1651 Roosevelt ave.
Key at 207 S. BROADWAY, room 311, or 'Phone A or Main 2043. Owner will meet you at house. 15

TO LET—3-ROOM BUNGALOW; FURNISHed complete, except bedding, linen, silver; select neighborhood; rent $15; adults only. 1162 ARAPAHOE, near Ninth and Pico Heights cars.

TO LET—IN W. ADAMS DISTRICT, MODern 7-room furnished house, four bedrooms, piano, lawn, flowers, $40. 1744 W. 25TH ST. Take W. Adams car. Home 72511, West 2871. 6

TO LET—WHEN IN NEED OF NICE HOUSE or bungalow, see us.
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TO LET — FURNISHED, $50; ON CHOICE corner; elegant 8-room bungalow; beautiful grounds; open 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. 3560 BUDLONG AVE.

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TO LET—FURNISHED, ELEGANT 6-ROOM modern cottage, with piano, fine location; no children. Apply 1111 E. WASHINGTON ST. 'Phone South 2257. 6

TO LET—FURNISHED, PART OF ELEGANT home and 4-room house, unfurnished. 'Phone South 4068. 1709 MERRILL, corner Long Beach ave. 7

TO LET — FURNISHED, NEW 8-ROOM house, close to Westlake Park; no children or invalids; references required. 2738 W. EIGHTH. 4

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN FURNISHED cottage, well located and in a fine neighborhood on South Hope st. O'BRIEN, 3309 S. Main st. 25338. 4

TO LET—FURNISHED MODERN COTTAGE, S.W. HOME PHONE B2870. Price $30. 4

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BROADWAY AND EIGHTH STS.
$100 PER MONTH.
Two store rooms, with basement.
25x100 feet.
1-4 block from corner
of Eighth and Broadway.
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
5 312-314 Wilcox Bldg.

TO LET—GROUND FLOOR.
—PART OF STOREROOM—
SUITABLE FOR OFFICE PURPOSES, 110 E. FOURTH ST., (SAN FERNANDO BLDG.) LOBBY AND OUTSIDE ENTRANCES; FRONT AND SIDE WINDOWS; VALUABLE FOR SIGNS, SPLENDID LIGHT, REASONABLE, LONG LEASE. APPLY ON PREMISES TO
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4 (Incorporated.)

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Good location for a florist or magazine stand in the entrance of a large office building on Spring st.
One large office, fine light and air; 22x50, on second floor; fine advertising accommodations; also a suite of 2 rooms, very reasonable.
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Your choice of 3 stores, or all in one, to good tenant.
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TO LET—
$10—106 S. Beaudry st.
$15—1003 or 1011 E. Ninth st.
$20—1120 E. Seventh st.
T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway.

TO LET—740 TO 748 S. BROADWAY, FOUR large, new storerooms, almost ready for occupancy; reasonable rental; will give lease. LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO., SOLE AGENTS, 211-12 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—A STORE, FURNISHED, WITH soda fountain, counters, cases, shelves and living-rooms; good location for drug store; town; close in; rent $15. Address 319 W. 16TH ST. 6

TO LET—GROUND FLOOR SPACE IN MODern office building, centrally located; 2 entrances; several show windows; long lease and cheap rent to right party. TELEPHONE F2555.

TO LET—BRICK STORE, WITH BASEment, 306 and 308 S. LOS ANGELES ST.; also the 35-room lodging-house over the store. See owner on premises. 6

TO LET—DESK ROOM TO YOUNG ATTORney in a law and collection office, that can turn over business to him. Address A, box 148, TIMES OFFICE. 5

TO LET—SWELL OFFICE IN H. W. HELLman Bldg., with partition; long lease and cheap. See BLENKIRON BROS., 622 S. Broadway. F1005.

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TO LET—CORNER BRICK BUILDING, 1401 E. Ninth st., (near Central ave.,) suitable for light manufacturing or store; low rent. Phone MAIN 2288.

TO LET—LEASE FOR SALE; 6½ SMALL Broadway store; best location; $150 month; possession January 15. Address B, box 245, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LET—OFFICES FURNISHED TO YOUR liking with telephone and stenographer, service if desired. 321 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

TO LET—A STORE, GOOD LOCATION FOR a drug store; town, close in. Address 319 W. 16TH ST. 7

TO LET—½ OF STOREROOM FOR THE month of December, located at 435 S. Spring. Inquire CALIFORNIA CITY LAND CO. 9

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TO LET—CHEAP, FOUR LARGE OFFICES. Possession January 1. Party leaving town. 433 PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG. 4

TO LET—STORES, PICO NEAR FLOWER. F2772. MARSHUTZ, 555 S. Broadway.

TO LET—LOW RENT, FINE FRONT WINdow and part of store. 341 S. HILL. 5

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WE HAVE ONE STOREROOM ON MAIN STREET AT $100 PER MONTH. 20 FEET FRONTAGE. CLEAN SIDE OF STREET. NEARLY OPPOSITE PACIFIC ELECTRIC BUILDING. EASILY WORTH $175 PER MONTH. APPLY AT ONCE.

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—SEE—
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
6 324 HUNTINGTON BLDG.

TO LET—FOR LEASE, STORES.
Beautiful store, 18x60; high ceilings, plenty of light, on Third st., near Broadway; fine location for ladies' tailor, hair dresser, barber shop, or millinery store. This is good. Can get 5 years' lease, cheap.
Fine location for a shoe store, gents' furnishings or stock broker on Third st., near Spring. Price is right. Can get a good lease for right party.
Location on Broadway, between Third and Fourth sts., at reasonable rental.
Location for garage, 80x117, for lease for term of years.
See us for new location. We can save you money. See Macomber or Seeley, with
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TO LET—WELL ESTABLISHED EMPLOYment office; license paid. 331¼ S. SPRING. A6913, Main 4854. 4

TO LET— Farming Lands.

TO LET—AT $2.50 PER ACRE, HAY AND grain land in the San Fernando Valley, N.W. of Toluca; have 25 and 15-acre tracts; no buildings; also fruit ranch on shares. W. J. BRYANT, 310 Byrne Bldg. 15

TO LET — THE BEST 40 ACRES NEAR Santa Ana, good artesian well, flows 80 inches; the place for the good farmer. Address EMIL KIRCHNER, 130 N. Main. 7

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAIN; FINEST new 5-room house, between Main and Moneta, for the money; buffet, bookcases, polished floors, $2600; only $500 cash, balance easy. Owner, northwest corner of 49th and Moneta ave. Phone SOUTH 5785. 6

FOR SALE—SNAP, $10 MONTHLY, $100 cash, buys 5-room cottage, large lot, shed, fruit trees; near car and school. Price $1400. Here's your chance to get away from the landlord. Call 1365 E. VERNON AVE., corner Hooper car line.

FOR SALE—IT MUST GO; IT SHALL GO. New 6-room cottage; southwest; nice neighborhood and close in; reasonable offer takes it, and on easy terms; would take lot in part payment; investigate this. Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—$50 CASH, $25 PER MONTH; new, modern 5-room bungalow, southwest; 2 blocks to car line; improved neighborhood; take lot as part pay. YOUNG & ADAMS, 305-7 Laughlin Bldg. A7868, Broadway 2915. 4

FOR SALE—
BY OWNER, TWO NEW 6-ROOM bungalows, just completed; oak floors, beam ceilings, mission fixtures, pressed brick mantels, etc., only $500 down, balance monthly. E. S. WILLIAMSON, 204 Grant Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—SOUTH WOODLAWN TRACT; $1800, $150 cash and $15 per month, 3-room plaster house, 50-foot lot; also 5-room modern cottage, $2200, $1300 cash, balance 3 years. SAVAGE, 3938 Trinity st. Phone 29079. Maple ave. car. 6

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FOR SALE—OR WILL EXCHANGE FOR acreage, a fine $30,000 home in the Westlake district; modern and up-to-date in every detail. JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 339 Pacific Electric Bldg. Home Ex. 345, Broadway 2468. 5

FOR SALE—PRETTY 3 ROOM BUNGALOW near Stephenson ave. Fine large lot and charming locality. Price $775, $50 down and $15 a month.
F. W. BLAKE, Corner Stephenson and Indiana. Take Euclid ave. car. 5c fare.

FOR SALE—VERY DESIRABLE, ATTRACtive, modern 5-room bungalow on W. 47th. Fine lawn, garden, etc., excellent neighborhood, near Vermont Square. Call today, 313 CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK BLDG. A5371. $3000, terms. 4

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FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; 6-ROOM HOUSES and lots, 100x120, in East Los Angeles; 15 minutes from First and Main sts.; fine bearing fruit trees, chicken corrals and sheds; cash or terms to suit. Address BOX 27, Station B, city. 4

FOR SALE—PRICE $2000, NEW MODERN cottage, 37th st., one block west of Long Beach line; very easy terms. I will take good lot as first payment. O. L. STEVENS, 503 Mason Bldg. F7800; Main 3915. 4

FOR SALE—MY RESIDENCE, 1084 W. 35TH Place. Take University car; 7 rooms, modern; all improvements; price $4500; part cash, balance on time. JAS. F. BUTLER, 749 S. Spring st. 6

FOR SALE—FORCED SALE—MUST SELL; four-room plastered house, nearly new, worth $1800. Make offer. House, 2517 Malabar street. Brooklyn car to Ganahl street, thence north few blocks. 5

FOR SALE—$1900; $300 CASH, BALANCE $20 month; fine 4-room modern cottage in the south; splendid location; flowers, lawn, cosy home and very cheap. JENKS & HUGHES, 224 Bryson Bldg. Phone A5600. 4

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN 5-ROOM BUNgalow on Eagle Rock car line; fine location; 5c car fare; price $2100, small payment down. See OWNER, 224 Pacific Electric Bldg. Main 8550. 4

FOR SALE—VERY DESIRABLE MODERN home, St. Andrew's Place; lawn, garden, garage, $14,000; $2000 less than market value. MR. SMITH, C. F. W. Palmer, 402 Fay Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—5-ROOM BUNGALOW, MODern, close to Sunset Blvd., a snap for cash if taken at once. CRUTCHFIELD, 105 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM HOUSE, LARGE rooms, neatly finished, high ground, shrubbery, fine view, 5c car fare; only $1300. Terms. Address A, box 104, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—UNUSUAL BARGAIN. NEW 6-room bungalow. Vermont Square. Price today $3150. It's worth $3700. Owner must have money. PHONE F1600. 4

FOR SALE—LOOK AT THIS NEW 7-ROOM bungalow; hardwood floors, four sleeping rooms. Moneta ave. district. Bargain. Easy terms. PHONE A6370. 4

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT TO BUY, SELL or exchange your realty, try us. RITTER & SULTZER, 326 San Fernando Bldg. F6423, Main 4932. 6

FOR SALE—SNAPS, SNAPS, SNAPS. IN real estate. If you are looking for snaps in real estate, see WM. J. ALLISON & CO., 633 Chamber Commerce Bldg. 5

FOR SALE—$2500; $200 CASH; NEW 5-ROOM modern bungalow; Bimini bath car line. Agents call up and list this. MAIN 406; A9240. 4

FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, southwest location; $1000 cash, balance $20 per month. See owner, 662 BURLINGTON AVE. 6

FOR SALE—4-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $2000, half cash, balance $15 per month. No. 1048 HOBSON ST. Pico Heights or W. 9th car. 4

FOR SALE—BY FITZACKERLY & CO., 444 S. Broadway, room 517. $4000 for an 8-room, 1½-story house; terms $500 down and $25 per month. 4

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, NEW, MODERN 12-room house in West Adams Heights, beautiful location; price $10,000 net. 2242 W. 24TH ST. 4

FOR SALE — FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, fine lawn, flowers, orange and lemon trees; very reasonable. Inquire 1581 E. 46TH ST. 4

FOR SALE—NEW 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, beamed ceilings; 3 oak floors. 522 W. 56TH. South 2673; easy terms; owner. 4

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM FURNISHED COTtage, close in; price $1750; small cash payment, balance easy, at 222 S. SICHEL. 4

FOR SALE—6-ROOM MANSION, MODERN improvements, 24 fruit trees, 67 rose bushes, walking distance. WEST 4590. 4

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE; A REAL BARgain; $2300, $250 cash, if taken at once. W. 45th st. WEST 4590. 5

FOR SALE—BARGAIN, 5-ROOM MODERN bungalow, good location, $350 cash, $30 per month. Phone OWNER, 52624. 4

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FOR SALE—MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, easy terms. 38th Place. Owner, WEST 5443. 5

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FOR SALE—
A BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM BUNGALOW ON AN 80-FT. BOULEVARD, BUILT FOR A HOME.
$3850 $3850 $3850
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A beautiful bungalow, modern in every respect, built by day labor for a home, on an 80-foot boulevard. Large, terraced lot, with fine lawn, flowers, trees shrubs, etc. Located in West Adams-st. district. Large front porch, which extends across the entire front of house. Handsome entrance of oak and art glass. Very large living-room, with plenty of plate-glass windows, hardwood floors, paneled walls, massive brick mantel and fireplace, built-in seats, bookcases, etc. The walls and ceilings are beautifully tinted in soft shades. The dining-room is very prettily arranged, with a beautiful built-in buffet, with cut-glass doors and mirrors, paneled walls, oak floors, etc. The kitchen is large and contains every modern convenience wished for. The pantry is attractive, also large screen porch. Sleeping-rooms are large and airy, finished in white enamel, beautifully tinted walls, oak floors, large clothes closets, etc. Artistic and up-to-date bathroom, nickel plumbing. Small cash payment, balance easy.

OUT WILSHIRE WAY, BEAUTIFUL SURROUNDINGS, 8-ROOM RESIDENCE ON A DOUBLE CLEAN CORNER.
$6900 $6900 $6900
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Modern and up-to-date in all particulars, 8-room, 2-story house, oak floors, Ruud heater, furnace and garage. Living-room is 18x30, built-in fixtures, casement windows, open staircase. Handsome dining-room adjoins living-room and is rised one tread above other floors. Dining-room 16x22, handsome buffet, with beveled plate-glass doors laid in copper and a special cabinet for CUT GLASS; the arrangement is excellent; from dining-room you may look out upon a pergola, with many very attractive improvements. Kitchen and pass pantries models of convenience, 4 very large bedrooms, artistically decorated, and closets unsurpassed. Bathroom is very inviting. The porches, of which there are three in number, are one of the most pleasing features of this house. We can arrange terms and think of the price for a corner house in this location.

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Main 263. Home Ex. 263. 4

FOR SALE—
HOUSE AND LOT.
BEAUTIFUL LOT 50x135,
Hollywood way. Lovely lawns, shrubs, vines, roses, shade and fruit trees. Fine mountain scenery. 5c fare. School, church, grocery, etc. near. Nice four-room cottage in rear, room for modern house in front. Street work all done. Snap for $1850. Cash or terms. Take good cheap lot as part.
FURNISHED HOUSE AND LOT.
Including new piano, a nice 5-room cottage. All ready to cook your dinner. Hollywood way. Beautiful mountain scenery, lawn, shrubs, vines, fruit and shade trees, roses, etc. Near to school, church, grocery; street work all done; 5c fare. $2600, terms or cash. This is best possible buy.
100x135 LOT, TWO HOUSES.
Same locality, everything you could wish for in lawn, shrubs, trees, etc. Must be seen to be appreciated. If you want nice home and big value investigate this. $3600 for all, or divide at $1800, terms or cash.
THREE NEW MODERN BUNGALOWS.
Same locality, nice large lots, street work, etc. done. $2100, $2400, $2500, terms or cash. Will take good lot as part.
SQUARE DEAL REALTY CO.,
107 S. Broadway. 4

FOR SALE—BY OWNER.
BEAUTIFUL WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
ONLY $350 CASH.
PRICE $3900.
Balance like rent; just completed, a handsome 6-room strictly modern bungalow; cement porch and steps; large veranda extending across entire front; waxed oak floor; woodwork in flemish oak; dainty living-room with built-in seats and bookcase; handsome brick mantel and lighting fixtures; equal in elegance and design to those found in $6000 residence; built-in buffet; 8-ft. wide leather paneling in living-room, and dining-room and ideal French kitchen, equipped with cupboard, flour bin and drawers; screen porch with laundry trays, bath with lavatory and conveniently built-in dressing case; long double plate mirror; latest sanitary plumbing; woodwork in bedroom, bath and kitchen white enamel; this house has been carefully built by day labor and is a delightful home; you will agree with me if you see it. 163 KINGSLEY DRIVE. Take Western-ave. car, get off at Kingsley Drive, go north 2 blocks. West 840. 4

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STUDY THESE THREE OPPORTUNITIES.
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Modern 15-room mansion and 1¼ acres in Santa Barbara. Beautiful elevation and extensive grounds. Garage. Has cost $60,000. One-third of cost will buy it, or exchange and part cash.
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FOR SALE—
MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE.
WEST 16TH STREET.
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ONLY $5500.
ONLY $5500.
High ground, west of Hoover, 8-room modern residence, with all built-in appointments.
Lot 50x150 to alley.
HERE IS A BARGAIN FOR SOMEBODY.
Our auto at your service. House and lot department.
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Established 1890.
314 WILCOX BLDG.
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FOR SALE—
$150 CASH.
SMALL MONTHLY PAYMENTS.
ONLY $3000 FOR QUICK SALE.
Beautiful new six-room bungalow, strictly up to date in every detail. Large rooms, well arranged, light and airy. Hardwood floors, beam ceilings, handsome mantel, built-in buffet, bookcases and window seats. Lot 40x190 to 15-ft. alley. Located in choice part of southwest, close to car line.
If you are looking for a nice home on easy terms at a big snap, don't fail to see this. It will not disappoint you.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
222 Laughlin Bldg. Main 9307; Home Ex. 767. 4

FOR SALE—FURNISHED, $5000; $1500 CASH, southwest; elegantly furnished bungalow; 6 large rooms and unusually complete butler's pantry; house is "different" and finer in arrangement than others; hardwood and polished floors throughout; very large living-room, paneled and beamed with massive brick mantel in one entire end, of unusual design, with bookcases, built in the brick; large paneled dining-room opens to veranda through wide French doors, swell front buffet across end; the kitchen and butler's pantry are particularly attractive features; 3 large bedrooms, bath and wide hall are all finished in white enamel; beautiful lawn, front and rear; beautiful oak and leather mission furniture; all bought for the house; fine china; 2 large ranges and heater; owner going East. PITTSBURG REAL ESTATE CO., 311-17 Laughlin Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID 9-ROOM HOUSE, corner W. Washington and Oxford ave., practically new and substantially built; lot 60x142. This place is in the magnificent West Adams Heights Tract, and is offered at a very low figure.
See MINES & FARISH,
315 S. Hill st. 6

FOR SALE—
$9500.
MODERN 9-ROOM RESIDENCE
NEVER OCCUPIED.
East front. Lot 65x178.
Dining-room, living-room and den have beamed ceilings and hardwood floors; breakfast room and four large bedrooms with hardwood floors. Furnace, laundry trays, large closets, lawn. A magnificent home on high ground.
1615 GRAMERCY PLACE.
WEBB & JAMESON, Owners,
Phone for Appointments.
Phones A3090; Main 1704. 310 Bryson Blk.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL HOME,
HUNTINGTON BOULEVARD.
One block from Huntington Drive. Modern bungalow with Arden plaster. Large living-room, den, brick fireplace, dining-room and buffet. Oak floors. Separate breakfast-room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and clothes closets, bathroom and screen porch. Plumbing up to the minute. House wired for electricity and finished in Oregon slashed pine. Bargain price for this refined neighborhood, $2775, cash $200, balance $25 a month. GEO. W. MOORE, 322 Pacific Electric Bldg. Ex. 345, Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
NEW 5 ROOM PLASTERED house, bath, etc., on 50x150 ft. lot, healthy and elegant location; price only $2500, $100 down, then $30 monthly, including the interest. Come to owner and see the property.
Home Ex. 345. GEO. W. MOORE,
Broadway 2468. 322 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—
NO FAKE ABOUT THIS.
PROPERTY MUST BE SOLD IMMEDIATELY.
Or owner will lose all that he has in it. The lot alone is worth $2500, and you could not build the house today for less than $2500; southwest.
$2800— ONLY $600 CASH. —$2800.
Balance $30 per month.
6 large rooms and reception hall; hardwood floors in all rooms on first floor, except kitchen; 2 large bedrooms and complete bath on second floor. All conveniences. Corner lot, 50x150 to alley; lawn, fruit trees; chicken yard. This is the greatest bargain that has been offered for months. There is no mortgage on it; $30 monthly payment pays all. If you want such a property, come early; it should be sold before noon, today. (1343.)
4 JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—$4000; $500 CASH, NEW BUNGAlow, southwest, 6 large rooms; cobblestone front and large columns, wide cement front and side veranda, hardwood floors, large living-room 14x23, massive mantel, Spanish leather seat in corner, writing desk and large bookcases. Dining-room opens to veranda through wide French doors, unique buffet finished in art and plate glass, decidedly different from anything you have seen. Lighting fixtures of hammered copper, 2 bedrooms, unusually attractive bath and buffet kitchen in white enamel, rear bedroom may be used as breakfast room. Cement cellar with entrance from screen porch. Easy terms. PITTSBURG REAL ESTATE CO., 311-17 Laughlin Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—
A REAL SNAPPY BARGAIN.
$4300— ONLY $1000 CASH. —$4300.
A well built modern 9-room residence, on large lot, well located, near Congress and Adams; up-to-date in all respects; hardwood floors; tinted walls and ceilings; 2 fireplaces; fancy mantels; all conveniences; complete bath; 5 large bedrooms; this property is located within 1 block of car; north front; one of the best buys that has been presented to us recently. Come early.
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FOR SALE—BARGAIN, SOUTHWEST.
$5000—1692 CHURCH AVE.
NEW 2-STORY BUNGALOW ON HIGH GROUND NEAR WASHINGTON ST.; 7 LARGE ROOMS; ARTISTIC DESIGN AND FINISH; STONE FRONT, CEMENT PORCH; OAK FLOORS, BEAMED CEILINGS, PANELED WALLS, FURNACE, FIREPLACE AND ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES. LIBERAL TERMS. COMMISSION TO AGENTS. A3024. A. S. KOYER.
4 302 LOS ANGELES TRUST BLDG.

FOR SALE—
BUNGALOW BARGAINS.
6-room modern bungalow, close in, 1673, Girard st., good investment for future apartment house must be ½ cash. Price $4000.
6-room modern new bungalow, S.W., low price, very easy terms. Must be sold soon. Would take horse and buggy, part of first payment. Owner, 225 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 6

FOR SALE—
NOTE THE TERMS.
$2200— ONLY $200 CASH. —$2200.
BALANCE, EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS.
2 5-room cottages; tinted walls; fireplace; complete bath; pantry; gas and electricity; east fronts; just the thing for employees of Salt Lake or Santa Fe Railroads, within the call district.
4 JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—9-ROOM, NEW AND STRICTLY modern two-story house; will not try to describe the beauty and comforts of house here. Located 1457 Dana street, half block from Adams and Vermont; strictly fine residence district; lot 50x185, south front. Price $9500. If you want a strictly fine home, call me up by HOME PHONE 71650 and I will describe this house and arrange to meet you. Buy direct from owner. 1445 DANA.

FOR SALE—
FOUR ROOM CEMENT BLOCK HOUSE ON STEPHENSON AVE.
All modern improvements, principal street, big lot to alley; close to everything; yellow car line, 5c fare, transfers, etc.; price $2500; $100 down and $25 monthly, including the interest, buys it. See GEO. W. MOORE, 322 Pacific Electric Bldg. Home Ex. 345, Broadway 2468. 5

FOR SALE—$4200; WORTH $6000.
A8753. HOLLYWOOD SNAP. Main 3876.
9-room beautiful home, beam ceilings, oak floors, cement cellar, 2 fireplaces, 4 bedrooms, large closets. This property is the biggest bargain in Hollywood that we have ever handled. Lot 50x135.
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FOR SALE—
NEW 4 ROOM ALPINE PLASTERED house in nice locality. Plumbing and all improvements first class. New and ready to move into. Not only a home but a good investment. $1450. Cash required $75, then $15 monthly including the interest. See GEO. W. MOORE, 322 Pacific Electric Bldg. Ex. 345; Broadway 2468. 5

FOR SALE—OUT WESTLAKE WAY, $2300—$2300; only $200 cash. New and modern, never been occupied, large lot to alley. Beam ceilings, plate rail, mantel, buffet, hot and cold water, street work and walks in. Terms to suit you. Come and see the owner, 401 MASON OPERAHOUSE. Phone Main 591; A9240. 5

FOR SALE—$250 CASH.
PRICE $2850.
BALANCE MONTHLY.
6-room new, strictly modern bungalow, in the swell Wilshire district; lot 50x150; 304 CAHUENGA BLVD. Take Western-ave. car, get off at Cahuenga Blvd., go north ½ block. West 840. 4

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For Beautiful and Artistic Bungalows,
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FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, OWNER GOing east, handsome 9-room corner residence, modern in every respect; swellest residence district in the city, with 3 of best car lines, garage and beautiful garden; also stock in one of the best gun clubs in Bolsa Chica district. See owner mornings, 2632 ROMEO. Phone 71567. 6

FOR SALE—
$12,000—EASY TERMS.
No. 2711 Ellendale Place, large 11-room house; lot 65x214.
A3907. HAY & HARDWICK,
Main 6169. 734 Bryson Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—NEW AND MODERN 5-ROOM bungalow, beam ceilings, stationary tubs; hardwood floors, fine fixtures; a bargain at $1900, terms.
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A7138. 517 Citizens National Bank Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—BY OWNER; FINE MODERN five large room bungalow. Two brick fireplaces, oak floors, desk, bookcases, buffet, china closet, paneled walls, decorated ceilings, etc. Strictly up to date. 4122 WOODLAWN AVE. Phone 29027, evenings and Sundays. $4000, (50x125) to alley. 6

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FOR SALE—
Very fine 6-room bungalow; Moneta car line; price only $1500; will make easy terms.
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Main 2992. F5210. Sixth and Main. 4

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FOR SALE—$595 TAKES NORTH-FRONT lot on 62nd st., just west of Moneta; big snap; $300 cash. Address B, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE — LOT 40x140, WALKING DIStance, high ground; price $1650; very easy terms; snap. A7301. T. F. BURKE, 800 L. A. Trust. 4

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WEST ADAMS HEIGHTS
AT A SACRIFICE.
This beautiful 8-room house is reduced from $7250 to $6250. The rooms are all large and well arranged. Living-room 15x26. Dining-room 14x16, opening by French windows on back sitting porch, carefully planned cabinet kitchen in white enamel; large rear porch with double set tubs and extra toilet. Upstairs are 4 large sunny bedrooms in white enamel, well ventilated bathroom, linen closets and upper sun porch. The floors are polished oak upstairs and down. Expensive lighting fixtures, bronze hardware, cement basement, first-class furnace. The interior woodwork is carefully selected, rubbed and waxed. Surrounded by expensive and beautiful homes. This can now be delivered for $6250. In every respect it is equal to any $7250 house on our list.
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WESTLAKE DISTRICT SACRIFICE.
$3850—Unrestricted 50x150 to alley, east front on Carondelet st., ½ block south of park. Build what you please. Best snap in city.
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Within 200 ft. of the park.
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FOR SALE—LARGE EAST FRONT RESIDENCE lot on Hoover street, 50 feet wide and 150 feet deep. Two electric lines and all modern street improvements. A bargain at the price, $850, and terms to please you. $25 cash and $10 monthly.
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FOR SALE—FINE RESIDENCE LOTS. RESTRICTIONS $800 to $1500; prices $550 to $850; $25 down, $10 monthly; 50 feet frontage; yellow car line, 5c fare. Will build a house for you if you desire one, and advance the money at straight 7 per cent. per year. Come and see me before investing your money.
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FOR SALE—BARGAIN. BARGAIN. BARGAIN.
—45x130—
PRICE $650.
Near Vermont ave., on 49th st.; north front.
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47th and Vermont ave.
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$1650—Lenox ave., near Washington; 75 feet, east front; high ground.
$1800—Country Club Terrace, near Pico; 60x135; magnificent view.
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Make us an offer on N.E. corner 45th and Grand ave. car line, 40x160; 4 large walnut trees; cheapest inside lot $1000; $850 takes it. $450 cash. YOUNG & ADAMS, 205-7 Laughlin Bldg. A7896, Broadway 2915. 4

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A REAL SNAP.
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Only $900; worth easily $1500; 50x135; east front. Take "Western ave." car; 5c fare; N.W. cor. Santa Monica st. and Euclid ave.
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—SNAP—
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160x185, with stores and dwellings.
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100 room hotel, modern throughout, $12,000.
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We have several hotel and apartment houses to exchange for houses, lots and ranches, terms arranged on purchases to suit. Money loaned to customers.
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FOR SALE — FURNISHED 27-ROOM ELEGANT paying rooming-house near Fourth and Broadway; sacrifice $2500; all new; permanent and transient roomers; 4 years' lease; another 45-room hotel, something swell, $6000; 15 rooms, $650; also 42 rooms, income $550 monthly, make offer; also 25 rooms, upon the hill, sacrifice $2100; also 2 or 3 apartment-houses to trade for real estate; almost given away price, paying handsome incomes. See PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

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When you want a hotel, apartment-house, or rooming-house, see us, as we have best list in town.
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Best 32-room rooming-house on Spring st.; long lease; cheap rent; party must sell; going East.
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FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A MOST beautiful 20-room high-grade boarding-house; every room occupied; large porches; lawn and flowers, very close in; southwest. Address B, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 9

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WANTED — TO PURCHASE FIRST-CLASS furnished rooming-house from 15 to 30 rooms; must be close to business center, in good neighborhood, at a fair price and rental. Address A, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—21 ROOMS, NEWLY FURNISHED; rent only $85; 2 years' lease; corner building, sunny rooms, on one floor; bargain. See OWNER, 427½ S. San Pedro st. Phone F2269. 4

FOR SALE—$700; I AM LEAVING CITY; 32 rooms, near Fifth st.; actually worth $2000; 3-year lease; principals. Address A, box 52, TIMES OFFICE. 3

FOR SALE—$225 BUYS A NICELY FURNISHED 10-room rooming-house near Arcade Depot, all filled; a genuine bargain. Apply 536 E. FIFTH.

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FOR SALE—9 ROOMS, WELL FURNISHED; all rented; rent $40; good location; going away reason for selling; make offer. 844 S. GRAND AVE.

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FOR SALE—OR PART EXCHANGE—A NEW 27-room rooming-house, on business street; always full. M'BRIDE & PATTERSON, 305 Mercantile Place. A3767; Main 3440. 6

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FOR SALE—34-ROOM LODGING-HOUSE; IF taken by December 4, $1800 will buy it; partners' quarrel to your gain. TEL. A5024. This means act today. 4

FOR SALE — ROOMING HOUSE OF 28 rooms, at a bargain; near Arcade depot and car barn. See owner, 645 CERES AVE. 5

FOR SALE—KOHLER ROOMING-HOUSE, 21 rooms; must be sold at once; cash. 1202 E. SEVENTH ST. 6

FOR SALE—14 ROOMS OF GOOD FURNITURE, long lease, $700, with terms. 530 E. SIXTH. 4

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—HEMET FARM LANDS, ABUNDANCE cheap water, fine soil, no rock, adobe, alkali or scale. Price $135 to $300. For all particulars and special R.R. rates see J. P. CHAFFIN & SON, general agents, 17 S. Raymond, Pasadena. Both phones 321.

FOR SALE—60 ACRES 4 MILES FROM Merced, water right, 5 acres olives, brought $1008 last year, crop goes with place, small house, barn, tank, cows, wagon, tools, near school. $3000, $2000 down. J. E. RUSSELL, Merced, Cal. 5

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE — 15-ACRE home, near Pomona, 8 acres in table grapes, fig trees, spring of water, 4-room California house, $2600; also 180 acres, 10 miles north of Santa Monica, at $10 per acre. N. TREOSTI, 103 Court st. 6

FOR SALE—SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO get position as superintendent of large ranch, with good salary; new, well furnished house and good bargain in land, near Delano, with $200 down. GORDON, 519 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—RICHEST LAND IN THE State. $75 per acre; on Middle river, freight by rail or water; rent $10 cash per acre, on shares has paid as high as $50. MARK LANE CO., 245 Bush st., San Francisco. 5

FOR SALE—40 ACRES GOOD LAND, WILL raise anything, near Santa Ana; 90 inches of artesian water; a bargain; will exchange for income property. Address EMIL KIRCHNER, 130 N. Main st. 7

FOR SALE—AN ATTRACTIVE, BEAUTIFULLY and healthfully situated 40-acre improved ranch for sale cheap. Particulars upon request. DR. M. E. EASTMAN, Santa Barbara, Cal. 5

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL SAN GABRIEL Valley, 1 to 5 acre lots, $10 down and $10 per month; free water; 12 miles from city, on electric car line. J. W. PINNEY, room 6, Orpheum Theater Bldg., 227 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—30 ACRES AT ALPAUGH, TULARE Co., rich and level, with water; a snap at $45 an acre. Adjacent land is $75. FERGUSSON, 728 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A1942. 4

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FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND BEST ACREAGE, $275; 100 miner's inches water, with land, in cement pipes; on new electric, northeast. Office 411 S. MAIN, room 230. 7

FOR SALE—SCHOOL LAND FROM $4 TO $10 per acre, water at 36 feet; on and near R.R.; joining lands growing fine alfalfa. OSBORN LAND CO., 405 Chamber of Commerce. 4

FOR SALE—AGRICULTURAL TRACTS FOR colonizing or oil lands. We have them. Address RALMO LAND SYNDICATE, box 604, Visalia, Cal.

FOR SALE — 20 ACRES FINE ORANGE land, near Santa Ana, $200 per acre. NEWLON-GRIFFIS CO., 434 S. Hill st.

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We will convince you that if you want to own the most productive lands in the State or the country for that matter, Fresno county is the place for you to go. Lots of big photographs in our Los Angeles office, and a lot of valuable information. Come in and see the pictures and talk it over and we know you will want to go up and look.
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Also 312 acres with an almost new house that cost $3000; 2 large barns, 260 acres now under cultivation, 40 acres in large olive trees, 1 acre oranges and lemons, all good soil; three miles from railroad and 1½ miles from school; is equipped with gas engine, pumping plant; all goes at $40 ACRE.
We also have 160 acres, 3 miles from R.R. station; 120 acres grain land, two good springs of pure water; no buildings and the price is only $30 an acre.
The three above places are not away from civilization on the desert or in the mountains, but right here within 2½ hours' ride of Los Angeles; it pays, in looking for a location, to consult a firm thoroughly familiar with the country.
20 acres at Hemet, all planted to fruit, excepting one acre in alfalfa; good 5-room house, with large porches, large barn and outbuildings; a pretty home in a beautiful location.
For these and many others,
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RICH IRRIGATED FARM LANDS, WITH FREE WATER RIGHTS, $85 TO $90 PER ACRE. IMPROVED ALFALFA LAND, $100 PER ACRE, WITH EASY TERMS.
You have probably heard a great deal about PALO VERDE VALLEY LANDS lately, and you probably are aware that THE SOIL THERE IS COLORADO RIVER SILT, WELL SUPPLIED WITH WATER FROM AN IRRIGATION SYSTEM ALREADY DEVELOPED. EVERY TRACT FOR SALE ON THE BLYTHE RANCH IS PROVIDED WITH CANAL FACILITIES, AND IS READY TO BE WORKED. WE GIVE YOU WATER STOCK, WHICH OTHER PEOPLE ARE PAYING $12.50 PER SHARE FOR, WITH EACH ACRE YOU BUY. The most casual examination made on the ground would convince you that VALUES THERE ARE GOING TO INCREASE WITH GREAT RAPIDITY IN THE NEAR FUTURE, and that the result of home building on our property will spell success for you.
If you are thinking of buying country lands COME IN AND LET US TELL YOU WHAT IS GOING ON IN THE VALLEY, what crops are being raised, the prices they are bringing, the climate, the water system, drinking supply, etc. You will not regret the time spent, and it may result in fortune building for you.
Excursion Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
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FOR SALE—
5 ACRES OF CHOICE
ORANGE LAND
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$1250.
Terms $5 down and $5 per month per acre.
Don't waste your time with any other lands while you can get Monte Vista land at such a price. Do you know where Monte Vista is? Do you know that it is only an hour from Los Angeles in the fertile San Gabriel Valley? Do you know that the electric line connecting Pomona, Monte Vista, Ontario and Los Angeles with Riverside and Redlands is built now as far as Covina? Do you know that Monte Vista has two railway stations and three packing houses? That groves all around it sell for $1500 to $2000 an acre? That they yield a net revenue of $500 per acre, and that crimson rhubarb in that section is producing from $600 to $750 an acre? Do you know that it is in the center of the best garden soil as well as the most profitable orange soil?
DO YOU KNOW THAT
YOU CAN BUY IT NOW FOR
$250 AN ACRE
AND THAT YOU NEVER CAN AGAIN?
TWO EXCURSIONS DAILY AND SUNDAY.
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FOR SALE—
IN ORDER TO CLOSE OUT OUR TRACT IN CORCORAN, WE ARE MAKING SPECIAL PRICES ON 20 OR 40-ACRE TRACTS, FROM $30 UP, 1-4 CASH, BALANCE TERMS. THIS LAND IS SOLD EITHER WITH, OR WITHOUT WATER; 13 MILES FROM RAILROAD, SHIPPING POINT AND CREAMERY, AND IS LOCATED IN THE BEST FARMING DISTRICT; 6 MILES EAST OF TULARE. IF YOU WANT SOMETHING GOOD, AT THE RIGHT PRICE, SEE US IMMEDIATELY.
TULARE & KINGS COUNTY LAND CO.,
207 KERCKHOFF BLDG., 6TH AND MAIN. 4

FOR SALE—AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.
Must have cash immediately. I own one of the choicest and most productive ranch properties to be found in the San Fernando Valley, located within a few miles of the city of Los Angeles, on the line of the Southern Pacific Railroad, and on good public road; raised 125 sacks potatoes per acre, and other products in a like proportion. Fine alfalfa land. The cheapest lands to be found in this district, ranges from $125 upwards. If sold immediately will take $90 an acre. Prefers selling 100 acres in a body, or might sell same in twenty and forty-acre tracts, as the land is perfectly level and divides nicely. One-fourth cash, balance easy terms. This choice land will be worth not less than $400 per acre within the next two or three years, as the aqueduct will be within a short distance. No agents. See HAMILTON, 415 S. Hill st. 4

FOR SALE—
ACREAGE.
Now is the time to buy acreage property if you wish to get in on the ground floor, we have some bargains.
5, 10 and 20
acres, 4 miles from the city, with plenty of pure artesian water for irrigating, title perfect, guaranteed by the Title Guarantee and Trust Company.
REMEMBER!
Only 10 cents car fare, with water, $350 and up, ¼ cash, balance on or before 1, 2 and 3 years, at 6 per cent.
20
acres on the Redondo car line, with water, for $300.
TERMS.
100 acres of orange or lemon land in San Diego county for $30 per acre.
TERMS.
For acreage, see
F. H. BROOKS COMPANY,
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FOR SALE—
A MODEL STOCK AND DAIRY RANCH OF 320 ACRES, NEAR TULARE, less than two miles from station on SANTA FE. The owner is in EUROPE, therefore we have an option at a very low price. Modern 6-room house, cost $3000 and a $1500 barn. Ranch inclosed with a hog-tight fence, fine flowing artesian well, with hydraulic ram, which furnishes water for house, barn and garden. Place under one of the best and cheapest gravity water systems in the State, will not exceed 25c an acre per year. Soil heavy loam, suitable for alfalfa or fruit. DON'T FAIL TO LOOK INTO THIS.
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Main 898. F8157.

FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR CASH, TO CLOSE an estate; best offer gets it this week; 5 acres near Pomona; half fruit, half corn; 5 shares water, $1250.
Ex. 345. GEO. W. MOORE,
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Country Property.

FOR SALE—FIVE ACRES OF THE FINEST land in the famous "Lucky" Baldwin ranch, on electric car to Monrovia, passing through Alhambra; 18 minutes from Los Angeles. This is an ideal 5 acres, level as a floor and as fine as silk; corners on two streets and can be subdivided into five villa lots of one acre each and sold for $1000 an acre. This beautiful tract is being transformed into beautiful and artistic homes, and near Baldwin ave., that finest of all avenues in Southern California and almost equal to the famous Magnolia drive in Riverside; pure mountain water piped to the land. The price for quick sale has been put at $360 an acre; $900 cash and balance on very easy payments.
Our "auto" at your service. See us about this if you are interested. Also 1, 2 and 3 acres in same tract, from $375 to $500 an acre.
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EDWARD C. CRIBB CO.,
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RICH ORANGE SOIL from the CAMPO VERDE COLONY tract, in THE HEART OF THE FAMOUS BELT OF TULARE COUNTY, UNLIMITED WATER, SUPERB CLIMATE, NO SCALE, PROTECTED FROM INJURIOUS WINDS AND PRACTICALLY FROSTLESS.
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$85 PER ACRE, WITH INTEREST IN PUMPING PLANT, $150 PER ACRE. TERMS EASY.
Call or write for free literature and excursion dates.
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Literature about ranches of every description, any part of Pacific Coast country. We can help you with information where to go, how to get there.
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We have for sale 60 acres of magnificent soil, level as a floor, located immediately on the railroad, 1½ miles from station. Soil ideal for any purpose. We have just sold 160 acres immediately adjoining, part of which will be planted to oranges this season. Nothing finer in Los Angeles county, for citrus fruit or winter vegetables. Big bargain for quick sale; only $110 per acre. If you know dirt when you see it and are looking for a bargain, see this property.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE, (LTD.)
123 West Sixth street.

FOR SALE—1000 ACRES ALFALFA LAND, except 100 acres, suitable for eucalyptus; right in the water belt and close to Santa Fe station, ONLY $27.50 PER ACRE; good house, barn, windmill and tank; water 16 to 25 ft.
5500 acres eucalyptus and alfalfa land, water guaranteed, ONLY $25 per acre, in a body or will subdivide and give you choice at little higher price; only mile and a half from Santa Fe station.
TULARE COUNTY LAND.
If interested, ask us for location and price.
WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.,
4 434 S. Hill st. F8614, Bdway 2470.

FOR SALE—ANY SIZE STOCK, GRAIN, alfalfa or fruit ranches, make a specialty of stock ranches from 1000 to 20,000 acres. 17,000 acres 6 miles from R.R., south of San Francisco, in coast mountains, average rainfall 20 inches; 4000 acres is irrigable land, balance low foothills, covered with white and live oaks, watered by springs and creeks; one-half of the hill land can be plowed for hay or grain, every foot of it will grow the best of table grapes or any deciduous fruit. At present it is a stock ranch, one of the very best earliest beef and carries a creature to 7 acres. This is an ideal country estate and investment at $20. FRANK C. CLARK, 506 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Los Angeles. 6

FOR SALE—HOMESEEKERS.
Before deciding on country lands, see ours. We absolutely own and control our own lands, 5, 10 and 20-acre tracts; under irrigation, now ready to plant; free water, soil deep, rich, level; healthful climate; absolutely no malaria; plenty of water; ideal for oranges, lemons, peaches, grapes, alfalfa, all fruits and vegetables; fine school; close to prosperous town and on main line of S. P. Railroad. We can show you and put you in personal touch with many easterners who have located on our lands and are making a good living. Come and get our illustrated circular and talk it over. Plenty of work for buyers.
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251 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—
8 acres of high-class property at Whittier, near electric line; one-half of this is out to 12-year-old softshell English walnuts; the irrigation system supplying this land is one of the best in Southern California; no cost for water; this property can be bought for one-third less than adjoining acreage is now selling for. It will pay you to investigate. See MOON, 401-2-3 Citizens' National Bank Bldg., cor. 3rd and Main sts. 5

FOR SALE—630 ACRES OF ORANGE LAND, close to the railroad and 1½ miles from station at $22.50 per acre. This is a fine proposition for subdivision.
40 acres of first-class alfalfa land, with water the year around, at $100 per acre; $1000 down and the balance in 8 annual payments.
80-acre improved dairy ranch, 2½ miles from town, at $100 per acre.
10 acres of ideal orange land, ready to plant, and one mile from town, at only $200 per acre.
10 acres of alfalfa, 2½ miles from town, at $125 per acre.
Address W. E. PREMO,
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FOR SALE—
5 ACRES AT MONROVIA.
With fine water right, which alone is worth $500 per acre. Heart of orange belt, sandy loam. Some gravel wash, fine for chickens and alfalfa.
Good schools and car service to Monrovia.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS CO.,
128 W. 6th st. L.A.R.B. Main or F5518. 4

FOR SALE—
210 acres in San Fernando Valley, only 15 miles from Los Angeles.
5 acres in olives.
40 acres in wine grapes.
40 acres in table grapes.
Balance good orange land; good spring, piped to the house, small barn, $57 per acre; liberal terms.
FOLLIS & STEAD,
532 Bradbury Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. Main 8686. 4

FOR SALE — 2000 ACRES IN ONE BODY choice orange land, very superior, perhaps more so than any other tract in the State for early oranges, marketable in October; can all be irrigated from adjacent water; situated between Oroville and Placer county; being surveyed for two miles across for an electric line; admirably situated for colonizing; will be sold on easy terms. Apply to F. P. McLENNON, 117 Geary st., San Francisco, Cal.

FOR SALE—160 ACRE SNAP, $47.50 PER acre; one-third cash; grand soil; one mile to center of booming town of Delano; on main line of S. P., in famous San Joaquin Valley. House, barn, chicken pens, two windmills, pumping plant and trees, both citrus and deciduous, vines, etc.; worth $100 per acre. Fare refunded if you buy.
EDWIN ALDERSON,
Delano, Cal.

FOR SALE—GOOD FARM LANDS IN CORCORAN district; want Pasadena or income Los Angeles. Address A, box 203, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—
Have 5, 10 and 20-acre tracts, No. 1 soil, $150 per acre.
JACOB STERN,
404 Pacific Electric Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—
Thousand acres, fertile, water-bearing land in rich, rapidly-growing agricultural section, will cut into small tracts. Suitable for oranges, alfalfa and grains. Water development certain from shallow pumping wells; prices low, close to Riverside on railway. Apply to G. H. SAWYER, owner, Riverside, Cal. 6

FOR SALE—$1500 BUYS 20 ACRES FINE land, with an abundance of water, located in the heart of the San Joaquin Valley, in Kings Co., near both railroads. Best of terms, say $100 cash and $30 per month until paid. This is good alfalfa land, you know what that means. Make arrangements to see this property. See S. J. BUSH, 715 Central ave. 'Phones Main 6461, F3261. 9

WANTED — IF YOU WANT ONE ACRE good ground, fenced, all improved, fruit trees, grape vines, berries, good water, right across from a grocery store, in good neighborhood, 30 minutes' ride on Whittier car line; very cheap, get off Greening station, walk corner Bell and Flora aves. Ask for KAY'S PLACE. 6

FOR SALE—
Five sections land near Fresno, Cal., not far from R.R.; price $15, including water from best irrigating ditch in California. Apply 508 GROSSE BLDG.

FOR SALE—AT CLEARWATER, 10 ACRES of land, with six-room house. See G. L. ROBERTSON, 123 S. Broadway. 6

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FOR SALE—WRITE AT ONCE FOR FREE copy of SANTA CRUZ TIMES, list of real estate snaps. 5

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

BURBANK.
FOR SALE—BURBANK REALTY, CONSULT E. M. M'CLURE, Burbank. 7

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

IMPERIAL.
FOR SALE—FOR FULL AND RELIABLE INFORMATION, IMPERIAL VALLEY LANDS, CALL OR ADDRESS STANLEY, DE BLOIS COMPANY, THE PIONEER REAL ESTATE FIRM, SIX YEARS ACTUAL RESIDENCE, BESIDES GROWERS AND SHIPPERS OF CANTALOUPES, EARLY FRUITS, ASPARAGUS AND VEGETABLES. LOS ANGELES OFFICE, 622 SAN FERNANDO BLDG. HOME OFFICE BRAWLEY, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL TRADE MY equity of $20,000 in finest improved ranch in Imperial Valley; postoffice and railway station on the ranch; this will be a fine townsite proposition later.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS CO.,
128 W. Sixth st. Main or F 5518.
5 Member L. A. Realty Board.

COACHELLA VALLEY—
(North Imperial.)

FOR SALE—OR RENT; WELL IMPROVED, 40 acres, near Coachella; good pumping plant; owner, W. H. BLESSINGTON, 1128 E. 22nd. 6

FOR SALE—
Poultry Ranches.

FOR SALE—
$1500 A YEAR NET INCOME.
Paying poultry ranch at Monrovia, 800 thoroughbred fowls, 4-room house, chicken houses, brooders, incubators, tools, etc.; all fenced and covered with 15-year-old walnuts. All buildings are new. Plenty of water at $6 per year.
Price $5250. Terms, $3250, cash; balance easy.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS CO.,
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FOR SALE—A POULTRY RANCH OF 7 acres, located at Buena Park, close to two railroads, school and churches. Improved with a four-room house, good barn, chicken houses, incubator, cellar, etc. Plenty of shade on place, plenty of water. Will trade for city property. Value $3000. Answer at once. CLARENCE A. KIDDER, Buena Park, Cal. 5

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH, CLOSE IN; 4-room house; bath, barn, chicken houses; 4 yards; nice lawn, flowers and fruit; free water; bargain at $2250. RAND, 422 Bryson Blk.

FOR SALE—A DANDY 3-ACRE POULTRY ranch, in 5 cent limit, high ground, fine soil. Can raise anything; small house; $2350, terms on part. 434 S. HILL ST. Newlon-Griffis Co.

FOR SALE — HOUSE AND ¾ ACRE LAND, Willowbrook, on Long Beach car line; good for chicken ranch. $1200. I. H. PRESTON, 318 Laughlin Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND BEST ACREAGE, $275; 100 miner's inches water, with land, in cement pipes; on new electric, northeast. Office 411 S. MAIN, room 230. 7

FOR SALE—A WELL-ESTABLISHED POULTRY farm; must be sold quick. For particulars write to R. M'CHEGHAN, Albuquerque, N. M. 12

FOR SALE—WRITE J. W. HORN CO., Petaluma, California (the poultry center,) for free list of fruit and poultry farms.

FOR SALE — 2½ ACRES; WATER; CLOSE Riverside, $187.50. BOYLE 148. 5

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

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SUBURBAN HOME
at a bargain, 7-room bungalow, 4 1-2 acres of deep, rich soil, water for irrigating, good well of pure artesian water, tank, 5-H.P. gas engine, good barn, all in good condition. Price $6000, ⅓ cash, balance on or before 1, 2 and 3 years, at 6 per cent.
F. H. BROOKS COMPANY,
215-16 Currier Bldg. 212 W. Third st.
Both 'phones.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 1-ACRE HOMESITES, Pasadena, Alhambra, Huntington Drive and San Gabriel Valley; handsome arroyo building sites; some covered with oranges, live oaks, sycamores and tropical shrubbery; magnificent scenery.
"It pays to investigate our specialties."
WESTERVELT-ZEHNER CO., 222 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A5313, Main 5780.

FOR SALE—EQUITY IN 22 ACRES, GARDENA, already subdivided in acre lots, with plenty water; takes $1900 cash to handle it; ought to clear up to $5000 to $10,000 in short time; must act today. (2.)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO. (Inc.,)
213 W. Third st.

FOR SALE — RICO ACRES, 15 MINUTES from Sixth and Main sts., on the Long Beach car line. $750 and up. This is $250 cheaper than any acreage in this locality. Free water piped to every acre. For further particulars see GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO., 408 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—2½ ACRES, 4 BLOCKS FROM Alhambra car; beautiful home site; fine neighborhood; magnificent scenery; best soil and water in the world; no better close-in land at the price and terms. WESTERVELT-ZEHNER CO., 222 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A5313, Main 5780.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES; MUST SACRIFICE for quick sale; little business ranch; good income; rich, sandy loam; near Alhambra, close to car; 25 minutes from Los Angeles; ring us for price and terms. WESTERVELT-ZEHNER CO., 222 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A5313, Main 5780.

FOR SALE—ORANGE GROVE SACRIFICE; 6 acres, 7-room modern bungalow; set solid to navels and Valencias; 1 block from Alhambra car; our price is $5000 under the net cost of property. WESTERVELT-ZEHNER CO., 222 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A5313, Main 5780.

FOR SALE—MOUNTAIN VIEW SUBURBAN home; 9-room new modern house; barn; lot 50x173; extra lots if wanted. Take Sierra Madre car. Apply CULVER BROS., El Camino, or phone OWNER, Benj. C. Crandall, Main 841. 7

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND BEST ACREAGE, $275; 100 miner's inches water, with land, in cement pipes; on new electric, northeast. Office 411 S. MAIN, room 230. 7

FOR SALE—A NEW 4-ROOM COTTAGE, from 1 to 5 acres of Baldwin Ranch land; 25 minutes from city. Home 21650, A. L. COLEMAN, owner, 1351 S. Alvarado st. Bargain. 6

FOR SALE—100-ACRE RELINQUISHMENT; also 160 assignment; this is fine level land, 6 miles of depot, and worth 5 times that. 405 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. 4

FOR SALE — $2500; 8 1-2 ACRES, GOOD sandy soil; plenty water; small house and barn; near electric car. T. L. CHAPIN, 111 S. Broadway. 8

HOLLYWOOD—
For Sale, Exchange or Rent.

FOR SALE — "IN BEAUTIFUL HOLLYWOOD." Are you looking for a home, a place built on merit, and improved right up to the letter? Then DO NOT DELAY the inspection of this strictly modern 9-room house, situated on an east front lot, 80x198, on one of the best residence streets in this ideal suburb. REMEMBER, the subway is nearing completion, and in a short time Hollywood will be but a ride of 20 minutes from Los Angeles. This property is unincumbered and a bargain awaits the purchaser.
MEYER & JOHNSON,
F3577, Broadway 1222. 832 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—7-ROOM COTTAGE; bath, stationary tubs, gas, electricity; Reliable water heater; lot 75x175 to alley; fruit trees, chicken corral; street work all done; 1 block to Hollywood car and school; between Hartford and Warner ave. 706 CARLTON WAY. Must leave State; will exchange equity for unimproved and little cash, balance 7 per cent.; price $4700. 6

FOR SALE—$5000; GOOD 7-ROOM MODERN house; water, gas, electricity and furnace; fine lot of trees, shrubs and flowers; lot 90x195; on good street; convenient to car; it is a decided bargain at $6000. W. C. CAMPBELL & CO., opposite Hotel Hollywood. 5

FOR SALE—7-ROOM MODERN HOUSE IN best part of Hollywood; large lot; close to car and foothills; a real bargain at $5500; part cash. Call HOLLYWOOD 1121.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM HOUSE; GRAND VIEW blvd.; lot 72x201; select building sites. 1725 W. ADAMS. Phone 72523. 3 to 5 p.m. 6

GLENDALE.
FOR SALE—
NOTHING BETTER.
LIVINGSTON TRACT, GLENDALE
SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.
Overlooking the beautiful San Fernando Valley. Fine old oaks and a splendid mountain view, situated on Second street, one and one-half blocks east of Glendale car line.
AGENT ON TRACT DAILY, 9 TO 5.
PRICES AND TERMS REASONABLE.
PHONE GLENDALE 532.

PASADENA.
FOR SALE—6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE in Pasadena; elegantly furnished; all in fine condition, including linen, silver, dishes, bed clothes; also chickens, east front, high elevation; mountain water; will sacrifice, $500 down, balance easy terms, 6 per cent. North-lake ave. car to Denver, walk 1 block to 1481 CATALINA.

ALHAMBRA.
FOR SALE—
For bargains in Alhambra property, get off car at Second st., Alhambra, opposite City Hall.
McLEAN & MARSH,
204½ W. Main st., Alhambra, Cal.
Sunset Main 1911; Home Black 100. 5

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

SOUTH PASADENA.
FOR SALE—AT ONEONTA PARK, AN especially fine lot on Milan ave., near Huntington Drive. W. H. FURMAN, Alhambra.

FOR SALE—IN PASADENA, NEW 5-ROOM bungalow, good neighborhood, reasonable. Inquire 724 W. 11TH ST., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—EXTRA CHOICE CORNER LOT 100x150, Oneonta Park section; very desirable. Address OWNER, box 50, Times Office.

COVINA.
FOR SALE—THE BEST ORANGE SECTION in Southern California. Orange groves a specialty.
POLLARD & HUTCHINSON,
Home Phone 252. Covina, Cal.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—
UNDER FORCED SALE, AT A GENUINE BARGAIN PRICE, A 10-ACRE WASHINGTON NAVEL ORANGE GROVE, IN FULL BEARING, LOCATED ON THE MOST BEAUTIFUL AVENUE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.
The trees are healthy and with ample water rights and are now maturing a very profitable crop of fruit.
The property is ideally located for a country home, being connected by electric with the most attractive towns in Southern California. Splendid money-making groves and beautiful residences on all sides.
We can offer this grove on an immediate sale at 1-3 LESS THAN MARKET VALUE and on easy terms of payment.
As a speculation, an investment, or for a self-supporting country home, this property cannot be excelled.
WE ALSO OFFER A
CHOICE 5-ACRE ORANGE GROVE IN FULL BEARING in the choicest orange and residence district; healthy trees, first-class soil; ample water. We can deliver this paying grove for $3250 (just ½ its real value); small payment down, balance out of crops.
SOUTHWESTERN MORTGAGE LOAN CO.,
Suite 437, I. W. Hellman Bldg.,
411 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES; 4 VALENCIAS, lemons, 12 navels, 12 years old; fine crop; trees, goes in; new 6-room house and barn; free water; $22,500; part cash, balance long time at 6 per cent.
40 acres navels, Valencias and bloods, 12 years old; 45 shares water stock; over $12,000 fruit on trees; $50,000, part cash, balance easy.
10 acres, ½ Valencias, ½ navels, 7 years old; 3000 boxes on trees; only $10,000; 1-3 cash.
10 acres navels, 721 trees full fruit; 20 assorted family fruits; 10-room modern house, high, healthy altitude; a show place; $18,000, easy.
46 acres, 12 years old; ½ Valencias; ½ navels; fine crop goes in; $50,000; 1-3 cash, balance 5 years, 6 per cent.
5 acres, near Pomona; navels, $5500, with crop, or $4500 and we keep crop. A bargain.
WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.,
4 434 S. Hill st. F8614, Broadway 2470.

FOR SALE—
I have several snaps in 10 and 20-acre orange and walnut groves, with water, house, barn and otherwise improved.
JACOB STERN,
404 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE SEVERAL GOOD buys in orange and lemon groves in Covina, Azusa, Glendora, Charter Oak and San Dimas districts. If you are wanting a grove as an investment or home, see us before you buy.
COVINA REALTY COMPANY,
525 S. Spring st., or Covina, Cal.
City Phone F1279. Broadway 2855.

FOR SALE—CHOICE ORANGE LAND, cheap; a chance to make some money; 10 acres at $225 per acre; on Covina-Pomona electric line. Also 180 acres, close to Covina, good land; $135 per acre; estate must be closed up. Address B, box 252, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$6000, $2000 CASH, 7 PER CENT. mortgage for balance; 10 acres navel oranges in frostless belt. Trees 10 years old. Free water; good crop on the trees; near live town. This is a fine grove and at about 2-3 value. JENKS & HUGHES, 224 Bryson Bldg. A5600.

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES NEAR COVINA, ½ Valencias, ½ navels, 12 years old; fine crop; California house; price $14,000. Also 5 acres of 4 year old Valencias, cheap, water right; no improvements; price $3750. J. M. REYNOLDS, COVINA.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, 2 AND 12-year old oranges and lemons; growing right; part cash. House and barn, at $10,000. This is a grand buy; will be worth double in three years. NEWLON-GRIFFIS CO., 434 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES, NAVELS, VALENCIAS and lemons; best district in Southern California; good crop; fine condition; price and terms reasonable. Address A, box [illegible], TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, FULL BEARING navels and Valencias, 12 years old; well stocked; a big buy for $10,000 including crop. NEWLON-GRIFFIS CO., 434 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE—ORANGE groves and alfalfa lands. G. W. ROSE, Pomona, Union Block, room 22.

FOR SALE—J. A. KING AT RIVERSIDE can sell you an orange grove right.

FOR SALE—J. A. FITCH, POMONA, FOR orange groves. Big, exclusive list.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 2 5-PASSENGER and 1 4-passenger autos, two new, one used a few weeks; will exchange for city property and pay cash difference. See me today. J. FITZGERALD, 420 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW AND MODERN 6-room bungalow, $2500; want cheap lot as payment; fine location; street work and walks in; only 22 minutes on car. MAIN 494.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM NICELY FURNISHED cottage, Main st., in Rhyolite, Nev., paying well; want Los Angeles cottage or assume. MRS. M. HOOVER, room 204, 309 S. Third. M. 3471.

FOR EXCHANGE—$8000; IMPROVED 80-acre farm, 65 miles west of Kansas City, clear; want city or country; assume; or pay if necessary. T. N. NEWELL, 1421 [illegible] 21867.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU FOR real estate worth $3500 to exchange for paying business on Spring st., between 2nd and 3rd sts.? Address A, box 71, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—ALHAMBRA IMPROVED income and vacant property, value $[illegible], incumbrance, for L. A., southwest. Address A, box 148, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR CHICAGO VACANT, 53-ft. lot, on Vermont ave.; want cash. Address OWNER, 307, 145 La Salle, Chicago, Ill.

FOR EXCHANGE — WELL-ESTABLISHED stove and hardware business for sale or exchange; will exchange for city real estate. Main 8887. 426 BRYSON BLK.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLOSE-IN TEMPLE ST. corner, 100x125, $20,000; mortgage $6000; want Minneapolis property. TEMPLE ST. REALTY CO., 320½ Temple.

FOR EXCHANGE — CLEAR RESIDENCE lots in best district of southwest, for located house or income property. JOHNSON, 805 Security Bldg. 'Phone F3633.

FOR EXCHANGE — SIX-ROOM MODERN new bungalow, southwest, Moneta ave.; will accept lot first payment. Address X, box 182, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1200 EQUITY NEW 5-room bungalow, southwest; want vacant lot; will pay or take cash difference. Owner. Address A, box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 GOOD LOTS, LOS ANGELES; $4000; want Seattle improved or unimproved; might assume. ENRIGHT & CO., 105 S. Broadway. A3333.

FOR EXCHANGE — ASSIGNMENT OF 160 acres fine land; will give or take cash difference on good lot. A2952. SANDERS, Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR A GOOD ALFALFA ranch or will sell the Hollywood Nursery in the center of Hollywood. Address SUNSET AND GARDNER STS.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE FIVE AND SIX-room houses in Vermont Ave. Square; want lots, that locality, for equity. Address B, box 233, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—SEVERAL GOOD RANCH properties for city income, $20,000 to $[illegible]. RIVES, with WATSON, 649 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE HARDWARE AND furniture store for cottage in city. A. LAW, 822 Central ave. 'Phone F[illegible], 8760.

FOR EXCHANGE—COTTAGE FOR LOTS or acreage. OWNER, 525 Lorena st. 'Phone 41290.

FOR EXCHANGE—POMONA INCOME FOR Los Angeles vacant. HARTLEY, 304 Ballard Bldg. 'Phone A1102.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 CHICAGO COTTAGES and brick house; want Los Angeles lots. L. H. A., HOTEL DEL MAR, Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE—SOME FINE ALFALFA ranches, part city or country. RANSOM, Bryson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT FOR GOOD AUTO or what have you? Price $1200. 602 E. 7TH.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

FOR EXCHANGE—CITY OR COUNTRY. J. J. PHELPS, 235 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

Classified Liners.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE — BY H. C. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway. 'Phones F3228, Main 4177.
Cottage, 5 rooms, for rooming-house.......$2500
Cottage, 6 rooms, for clear lots..........$3000
10 acres, improved, for cottage...........$6000
50 acres, Fresno Co., house or cottage....$7000
Apartment-house for cottage...............$4200
Orange grove, 14 years old................$12,500
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Walnut grove, 14 years old................$18,000
RANCH OF 207 ACRES FOR COTTAGE OR vacant lots; good house, barn; fine timber; 80 acres, cultivated; price $3500. See DECKER.
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HOTEL, INCLUDING REAL ESTATE, RENTS FOR $3000 PER YEAR; OWNER WANTS LOT TO BUILD APARTMENT-HOUSE ON.
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154-ROOM HOTEL, FOR LOS ANGELES, SAN FRANCISCO hotel or real estate; price $12,000.
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19-ROOM TRANSIENT ROOMING-HOUSE, for cottage.
APARTMENT HOUSE, 62 rooms, for real estate.
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FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—
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Will trade a 40-acre lemon grove for $1000 per acre in the city limits of a factory town in Southern California.
Electric cars through the property; water for domestic and irrigating purposes; gas, telephones and everything to make you comfortable.
Adjoining land has been subdivided on a basis of $2000 per acre. This property is all clear and I want clear Los Angeles or big acreage.
R. T. COCHRAN, 313 P. E. Bldg. Home F6292. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—
$5000—Equity in beautiful home, nicely furnished, southwest, for first mortgage or contracts.
$15,000—Worth of mortgages and contracts for clear property.
V. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 204 Grant Bldg. A2814. Main 1589.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD FARM LANDS IN Corcoran district; want Pasadena or income Los Angeles. Address A, box 203, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$4000—5-room cottage and 2 lots at Verano; a corner on Florence ave.; alfalfa ranch to $7500; pay cash difference.
$6500—5 acres navels and Valencias, near Covina; fine condition; good crop; want residence.
J. J. PHELPS, 235 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — RELINQUISHMENT, good level soil, Coachella, for lot.
20 acres at Terra Bella for lot or equity, $1600.
20 acres at Alpaugh, with water, rich soil, $75 an acre.
640 acres in Kern Co., $25 an acre, for city property.
M. J. FERGUSSON, 728 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A1942.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT A DESIRABLY located 6-room bungalow in a good rental section, and will give for it a first-class 6-acre orange grove, located at Corona; full bearing and ample water stock; price $4500; mortgage $1000. For full particulars, see L. E. BIGLER CO., 318 Union Trust Bldg., (Fourth and Spring st.) F1914. Main 4000. 4

FOR EXCHANGE—A FINE 3-STORY FLOUR mill, in good condition; running; located at Birds, Lawrence county, Ill.; in the big oil field; mill now leased for $75 per month; can give possession March 1; 1 acre of oil land goes with mill; price $10,000; will trade for property in or near Los Angeles. Address J. R. KING, Caddo Hotel, Shreveport, La. 9

FOR EXCHANGE—
Choice income property, double frontage, improved with modern apartment house, West Adams district. Fine lot. Will exchange $14,000 equity for residence or Pomona and vicinity ranch property. Income over $2800 a year. Address A, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL TRADE MY equity of $20,000 in finest improved ranch in Imperial Valley; postoffice and railway station on ranch; this will be a fine townsite proposition later.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS CO.,
128 W. Sixth st. Main or F 5518.
Member L. A. Realty Board. 5

FOR EXCHANGE—
10-acre ranch at Downey, 6-room house, barn, pumping plant. Soil in fine cultivation, no alkali. 3 acres in fruit. Value $5000, clear. Want cottage and balance cash or mortgage back. Investigate.
STINGLE REALTY CO., 506 Mason Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—ORANGE GROVE FOR CITY.
$6500—A SNAP in a 10-acre grove, full bearing, fine condition, near Colton. Want city improved or vacant to full value.
THOS. C. BUNDY & CO.,
207-8-9 Wright & Callender Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—LARGE LOT AND TWO cottages in nigger town, Boyle Heights; rents pay 7 per cent. net, on $2700. Price CLEAR, $2700. Want good equity in a home, $3000 or more. Address TAYLOR, 204 North Fremont or call Phone A6075. Before 9 a.m., at noon hour and after 4 p.m.

WANTED—I OWN A LOT AT IVANHOE on the Glendale car line, 250 feet by 100, facing on a main street. I also have some cash; want cottage and lot with alley, inside city limits; might assume small amount. No agent, W. D. GREENOUGH, 316 East Fifth. 4

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL BUY PROPERTY all over on which you cannot make your payments; also buy and exchange mortgages anywhere and everywhere. We have plenty money on hand and make quick deals. NEW YORK QUICK DEAL REALTY CO., Rooms 1 and 2, 254 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL EXCHANGE FOR clear city or ranch property in or near L. A., a first-class auto, a new U. S. or foreign patent of 12 claims on a ready-selling article on which there is 100 per cent. profit. Address Patentee, D, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR EXCHANGE—
6-room modern bungalow on Pasadena Short Line, price $2500, clear. Want modern house $3000 to $4000, south or southeast.
CAL GRAYSON, with
HERBERT L. CORNISH CO.,
301 Union Trust Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—11-ROOM BRICK BUILDING, modern; lot 25x125 to alley; rented for $[illegible] per month; 15 minutes' ride to business part of city of Chicago; all clear; price $5000; want acreage and lot or lot or close-in acreage in Los Angeles; might assume some. Apply W. D. GREENOUGH, 316 E. Fifth. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—HANDSOME 6-ROOM bungalow and garage; all modern improvements; W. Adams Heights, including furniture complete for housekeeping; magnificent interior; player piano; will exchange for first mortgage or sell at a bargain. Apply OWNER, 419 Douglas Bldg. Phone A5165. 4

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE GOOD SEATTLE residence for Los Angeles; also Alamitos Bay lots and South Hollywood lots for two good cows, surrey and harness, talking machine as first payment, or will sell cheap for cash. Come shake the box for a trade. Address A, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR EXCHANGE—WEST ADAMS SECTION a good modern 8-room residence, lot 50x150; price $8000; mortgage $3500. Want lots or acreage for equity; submit offers.
ROBERT F. JONES,
612 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$[illegible] to $1500 clear lots for furniture.
$[illegible] to $1000 clear lots for small rooming-house.
V. E. STOCKWELL & CO.,
204 Grant Bldg. A2814, Main 1589.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW for Indiana property, Evansville, Boonville or Petersburg preferred; would consider farm in Warrick, Vanderburg or Gibson; price $3000. Address A, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—ON INSTALLMENT. Two houses on Glen Albyn Drive, 1 of 9 rooms, $5000, and 1 of 6 rooms, $3500. Will take half in clear lots or acreage. I. H. PRESTON, 318 Laughlin Bldg. 4

FOR EXCHANGE — 12 FINE RESIDENCE lots, 50x150, in the city of San Bernardino, which we offer for $2400. See MISS R. B. GILBERT, with GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO., 408 S. Spring st.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOUR-ROOM CALIFORNIA house, lot 50x184, southwest; want small rooming-house; will assume.
GUARANTEE REALTY CO.,
517 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg.

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40 acres in Kern Co., $25 an acre, for city property.
M. J. FERGUSSON, 724 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

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I have some gilt-edge guaranteed mortgages which will net you 12 per cent. per annum, payable monthly. Don't you think that better than savings bank interest? See me promptly. Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED — TO BORROW $6500 AT 8 PER cent. on new 34-room apartment-house, close in, just west of Main, worth $15,000; also $1200 on new cottage on 41st, just sold for $3300. Call 240 E. 29TH. 'Phone B2712 or South 5409. No agents.

WANTED—TO BORROW $1500 FOR 2 YEARS on modern home in heart of Alhambra. Will pay 8 per cent. MEYER & JOHNSON, F5577, Broadway 1223. 532 Security Bldg.

WANTED — $1100, FIRST MORTGAGE, house and two acres at Newmark, four miles from city; worth $3500; will pay 9 per cent. 3147 STEPHENSON. Boyle 1587.

WANTED—HAVE CLIENT WANTING A loan of $25,000, 7 per cent. net, 2 or 3 years, on gilt edge security. ROBERT F. JONES, 612 Fay Bldg. Phones A7928; Main 3292.

WANTED — WE CAN PLACE PRIVATE money on first-class mortgages; our own selections and valuations. MR. SMITH, C. F. W. PALMER, 402 Fay Bldg.

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WANTED—LOAN AT ONCE, $10,000 FOR 3 years, at 9 per cent., first mortgage on $30,000 Los Angeles improved; commissions. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—TO BORROW $150 FOR 90 DAYS; good security and liberal interest. Address A, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

Classified Liners.

MONEY WANTED—
On Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES.
$250—3 years, 12 per cent. net, on lot 40x150; on Plata st., near Hoover; value $800.
$300—1 year, 18 per cent. net; second mortgage on lot 45x140, on 37th and Vermont, with 5-room house, value $2750; this is a second mortgage and is subject to $1200 first at 7 per cent.
$900—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on lot 40x137; Morgan ave., near 42nd, with 6-room house; value $2000.
$1500—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on lot with fine 6-room bungalow, Boyle Heights; value $2250.
$2750—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on lot 50x150, on Brighton ave., near West Adams street, with 7-room house; value $6000.
$3250—3 years, 7 per cent., on lot 50x114, on Figueroa, near Court st., with 12-room house; value $8000.
$4000—3 years, 7 per cent. net, on lot 55x116; with 2 houses, No. 216 and 218 West 20th st.; value $12,000; rents $55 month. Look at this property and come in ready to escrow the money.
$9000—5 years, 6 per cent. net, on lot 54x165, on S. Olive st., between Ninth and 11th sts., value $30,000, improved with two large houses, bringing rental of $90 per month; value $4000; total value $34,000.
$9000—5 years, 7 per cent. net, on lot on corner of Eighth and Hemlock, well improved with stores and flats; value $20,000. Rents $100 month.
$10,000—3 years, 10 per cent. net, on 80 acres of celery and beet land, perfectly level, free from alkali, supplied with water from five flowing wells, value $24,000; improved with nine-room modern residence and large barn; value $6000; total value $30,000. This is the best class of celery and sugar beet soil, and is only half mile from new electric line connecting with beet-sugar factory at Santa Ana.
$17,500—2 or 3 years, 8 per cent. net, and $700 bonus to lender, on 55-acre ranch, ripe for subdivision into acre ranches, but now farmed and ranched as a walnut grove and truck farm; soil unexcelled; value $58,000. Just 15 minutes from Sixth and Main sts.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
The Leading Mortgage Loan Brokers,
505 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring. 4

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGE.
DAILY LIST OF LOANS WANTED.
7 AND 8 PER CENT.
$1250—3 years, 8 per cent., E. Adams st. near Central; desirable residence; value $4000.
$1800—Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena, residence, just sold for $4500.
$1000—New cottage, close in, Woodlawn ave., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $3000.
$1900—28th st. near San Pedro, 6-room cottage, 8 per cent., value $4000.
$5000—West Adams corner, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $12,500.
$1250—Vacant lot, West Adams st., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2500.
$3500—New 2-story, 10-room residence, near Pico st.; 3 years, 7½ per cent.; value $7500.
$3000—Two cottages, near 38th st., one block from Main st., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $6000.
$1250—49th st., near Vermont ave., new bungalow, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2500.
$1250—52d st., near Vermont ave., new bungalow, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2750.
$1250—53d st., near Vermont, new cottage, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2750.
$900—Avenue 29, near Pasadena ave., value $3000; house.
Insure with us.
We are agents for the Law Union and Crown Insurance Company of London, and English-American Underwriters. Combined assets forty million dollars.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st. 4

WANTED—$8000 FOR 3 YEARS AT 7 PER cent. net, on improved property, well worth $22,000.
See Loan Department,
MINES & FARISH,
4 315 S. Hill st.

WANTED—MONEY. WE OWN AND OFFER for sale these gilt edge trust deeds. They are first liens on Los Angeles city property; Time 1 to 3 years, interest 7 to 12 per cent., payable quarterly.
$4000—On improved residence property, worth $10,000.
$2000—On 2 houses and 2 lots, worth $8000.
$2000—On lovely cottage worth $5000.
$1500—On city property worth $4500.
$1500—On beautiful cottage worth $5500.
$1000—On cottage worth $3500.
$1000—On new cottage worth $3000.
Security absolute; nothing better.
Phone A2790. WATSON, 321 L. A. Trust Bldg. 4

WANTED—MONEY.
$500—3 years, 8 per cent., on $3000 walnut orchard.
$1000—3 years, 8 per cent., on good 6-room cottage; value $2800; near Moneta ave.
$1500—3 years, 7 per cent., on fine 2-story Hollywood home; value $4000.
$2500—3 years, 7 per cent., on good 2-story house; located S.W., near Vermont; value $5500.
$4000—3 years, 8 per cent., on fine $12,000 suburban home.
Home A6637. MOYER & GILBERT,
Main 6474. 612 Frost Bldg. 4

WANTED—MONEY
On the following gilt-edge loans:
$2500—3 years, 7 per cent., 1096 W. 30th st.
$3500—3 years, 7 per cent., 2280 W. 21st st.
$2000—3 years, 7 per cent., 1730 Harvard blvd.
$4000—3 years, 7 per cent., King and Wilshire.
$4000—3 years, 7 per cent., King and Wilshire.
$6000—3 years, 8 per cent., Manhattan and Washington.
$11,500—3 years, 7 per cent., 562 Central ave.
Please inspect and call us at once if you want a good investment.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY,
403 S. Hill st.
Phone Ex. 80.

WANTED—MONEY—
We have for sale a good trust deed $900; also one for $750, representing about 40 per cent. value of the property, and first liens. These drawing 8 per cent.
THE BURCK-GWYNN COMPANY,
323 South Hill st. 4

THE ADVERTISERS, PROMINENT MEN and practical oil men will give five satisfactory parties an opening to obtain undivided ownership equal to two acres in a syndicate of 20 acres of proven rich land in the best part of the reliable Kern River oil field—which two acres show proof of paying to holders more than $100,000 each in money—a steady income for life. Could lease on 25 per cent. royalty. Terms $2000 down and $2000 quarterly. Address OIL, care Jonathan Club. 4

WANTED—GILT EDGE FIRST MORTGAGES on first-class farm lands in San Joaquin Valley; large and small loans; close to town; loans based on low valuation; will net lender 11 per cent. per annum. NEWPORT & MILNER, 206 Central Bldg. 4

WANTED—MONEY.
$6000—6 per cent., three years, on forty acres, 18 miles from city; 10 acres in alfalfa, 25 acres in beets, balance in garden; four artesian wells, good 7-room house and outbuildings; value $15,000.
$3000—7 per cent., one, two or three years; valuation of property $10,000.
LOAN DEPARTMENT,
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
Ex. 777, Main 1353. 312-14 Wilcox Bldg. 4

WANTED—MONEY—
$7000 loan for 2 or 3 years at 8 per cent.; secured by 160-acre alfalfa ranch; abundant water; producing $30 net per acre per year. The property is worth $24,000.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS CO.,
128 W. 6th st. L.A.R.B. Main or F5518. 4

WANTED—$4000.
Here's a loan in a thousand.
Not many like it. Act quickly.
$4000 wanted on property easily worth $25,000; interest 7 per cent. for 3 years, payable quarterly.
Phone A2790. WATSON, 321 L. A. Trust Bldg. 4

WANTED—MONEY.
$500 to $1000 on second mortgage on acreage very near Los Angeles, on electric line; worth $12,000; first mortgage $2000; splendid value.
J. J. PHELPS, A3462.
326 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 4440. 4

WANTED—$1200, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT.; on house and lot on Figueroa, near First st. This is close in, valued at $4500.
$3300—3 years, 7 per cent., on 12-room house; lot 57x110 on Figueroa near First, valued at $8000.
LOCKHART & SON, 309 W. First st. 4

WANTED—ABOUT $2500, 8 PER CENT., 3 years, on $10,000 security; 25-acre alfalfa ranch, 2 blocks from Santa Fe Depot, Corona, (S. Riverside) all fenced, plowed, piped, abundance of water. MAIN 2080 or address B, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—LOAN, SECURITY GILT EDGE, $5500 for 3 years, at 9 per cent., on $10,000 Los Angeles improved first mortgage; commission. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 4

WANTED—MONEY; $300 AND $500 ON GOOD security, second mortgage; 3 years. PHONE SOUTH 3690. 4

MONEY WANTED—
On Collaterals.

WANTED — THIS LOAN REAL QUICK. Must have $995 today; will pay back $1200 in 90 days; security $29,000; real estate first mortgage: bonus $200. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 4

WANTED—PRIVATE MONEY FOR FIRST mortgage, gilt-edge securities, 7 and 8 per cent. RAMEY BROS., 207 Mercantile Place. 4

WANTED—TO BORROW $700 ON CHATTEL mortgage. 1544 NEWTON ST. 4

STOCKS AND BONDS—
And Mortgages.

REYNOLDS & MANN,
445-446 San Fernando Bldg., 4th and Main.
Phones Main 6240 and F1977.
Will Sell—
1000 Standard Mines ....cheap
2000 Lower California Dredging 16c
1000 Copper Creek 45c
1000 Butte Creek Dredging 18c
1000 Orange Blossom M. & M. 32c
1000 Cholx ....bid
500 Jerome Verde Copper 10c
1000 Big Stick 35c
2000 Flour Gold Placer ....cheap
500 Clara Consolidated G. & C. 75c
Will Buy—
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2000 Copper Creek.
500 Anti-Friction J. B. 4

PALMER OIL. THE BIGGEST OPPORTUNITY in oil in California today. Stock is going rapidly. Ponder a few facts. 580 acres of land. Santa Maria field. No. 1 well a 5000-barrel well. No. 2 down 2875 feet. No. 3 down 1276 feet. If No. 1 well produces only 2000 barrels a day, it would pay 20 per cent. on entire capitalization. Associated's pipe line practically ready for oil. Union now building a line to property. Contracts already signed for 4,000,000 barrels. If dividends are paid soon after first of year, as is anticipated, you will not be able to get the stock for 80 cents a share. We have option on limited quantity at this price. It is a buy, if there ever was one. Phone F8157 or MAIN 898 for further particulars. H. J. BENEDICT & CO., 165 West Sixth st., ground floor. 4

FOR SALE—
WE WOULD BE PLEASED
TO SUBMIT
OUR LIST OF CHOICE
INCOME STOCKS, BONDS
MORTGAGES AND OTHER
SECURITIES.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY
HENRY W. MELLEN, MGR.
STOCK & BOND DEPT.
403 S. HILL ST.
Wright & Callender Building. 4

FOR SALE—HOME TELEPHONE BONDS. 5 per cent. first mortgage gold bonds, Telephone Company of Ventura county, California; any sum up to $6000 at 90 cents on dollar; a fine investment.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
4 505 Douglas Bldg., corner 3rd and Spring.

EDELWEISS, ARIZONA-VERDE, SEARCHLIGHT-Comstock, Gold Center, Twenty-nine Palms Consolidated, Bullfrog Gold Note, Nevada-Manhattan, Manhattan-Gibraltar, Manhattan Mining Venture. Want cash and will take $5 thousand for any. Address B, box 51, TIMES OFFICE. 4

$100,000 TO PURCHASE BANK STOCKS. Cash for any good stocks or bonds.
Railroad stocks and bonds wanted.
Street improvement bonds wanted.
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505 Douglas Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—A FIRST MORTGAGE OF $1550, payable in 1910, 8 per cent. Secured by a modern new bungalow worth $4000. This is gilt edged and will bear investigation. MEYER & JOHNSON, 832 Security Bldg. F3577; Broadway 1222. 4

A $2500 FIRST MORTGAGE, 8 PER CENT., 2 years for sale. Commission $100. Call 204 GRANT BLDG., 4th and Broadway. E. S. Williamson. 4

FOR SALE—A BUNCH OF PIGEON FARM stock; buy now on ground floor, paying 5 to 20 per cent. now. Call 206 SEVERANCE BLDG. 4

FOR SALE—2000 SHARES PROVIDENCE Gold and Copper stock. How much will you give? Address B, box 6, TIMES OFFICE. 4

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.

AUTOMOBILES.

OWNERS EAGER FOR CASH FOR VARIOUS reasons have asked us to secure cash offers on the following cars. This is a chance to buy at your own price regardless of values. 1908 Pope-Tribune roadster; late 1907 Oldsmobile touring car; 1908 40 H.P. Wayne touring car; 1906 Peerless touring car; 4-cylinder Franklin touring car; 1906 Tourist, 5 passenger touring car; late 1907 30 H.P. Queen touring car; Cadillac touring car model "G," 20 H.P. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE WAREHOUSE, 1122-1124 S. Main st. 5

FOR SALE—TWO SWELL LITTLE 1908 roadsters, 2-cylinder, 16 H.P., shaft drive; only run about 150 miles; cost each over $1200; sacrifice for less than half. Act quick. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE WAREHOUSE, 1122-1124 S. Main st. F8290. 5

FOR SALE—VERY FINE OLDS OF THE French type, wheel steer and throttle, almost new and in perfect running order, for sale quick at a bargain, $400. Terms if wanted. CROSSMAN, 608 Chamber of Commerce. 4

FOR SALE—10-H.P. DELIVERY AUTOS with covered tops; will deliver them at one-half price. Let us figure with you. AUTOMOBILE EXCHANGE, 117 W. 16th street. 4

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO ELECTRIC SIGHT seeing cars for real estate; suitable for trucks with change. Address YY, box 60, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—$650 WILL BUY A NEW FORD runabout, in perfect condition and the kind you are looking for. This is a bargain. 124 E. NINTH ST. 4

FOR SALE—MY 2-CYLINDER AUBURN touring car, fully equipped and $200 cash, for a 4-cylinder touring car. What have you? R. S. LEWIS, 307 W. 16th st. Main 7781. 4

FOR SALE—ONE CLINDER CADILLAC, IN first-class condition, for $350. We have a top that will fit this car for $25 extra. 124 E. NINTH ST. 4

WANTED—BROKEN DOWN OLDSMOBILE runabout, for experiment. State spot cash price; otherwise no attention. Address B, box 250, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 5

WANTED—4-CYLINDER CAR; MUST BE rock-bottom price, at about $1000; must be able to give high demonstration; no dealers. TYPEWRITER CO., 525 S. Spring. 4

WANTED — WE CAN PLACE PRIVATE money on first-class mortgages; our own selections and valuations. MR. SMITH, C. F. W. PALMER, 402 Fay Bldg. 5

WANTED—GOOD FOUR-CLINDER CAR cheap; part cash and installments; state best terms; where can be seen; no junk. Address A, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—A GOOD AUTOMOBILE, ROADster preferred. Part trade and cash. Address, with price and particulars, B, box 231, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 4

WANTED—ROADSTER, ABOUT FORTY H.P., good condition; send description and cash price. Address B, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—BABY REO RUNABOUT, TIRES almost new; this car is in good condition and can be bought for $350. Call at 124 E. NINTH ST. 4

WANTED—FRONT CONNECTING ROD, also lower half of crank case of Stevens-Duryea runabout, 1904. Address A, box 185, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—I AM LOOKING FOR A CASH bargain in a touring car. What have you to offer? Address S, box 127, TIMES OFFICE. 5

FOR SALE—AUTO IN GOOD SHAPE, WILL sell at a bargain if taken at once. HOME PHONE E2429. 5

WANTED—MONEY; $300 AND $500 ON GOOD security, second mortgage, 3 years. PHONE SOUTH 3690. 4

FOR SALE—FOUR-CYLINDER AUTOCAR, absolutely in good order, for $600. This car can be seen at 124 E. NINTH ST. 4

PHYSICIANS' ELECTRIC STANHOPE, SECond-hand. ELECTRIC GARAGE, 1676 Washington st. 7

FOR SALE— OLDSMOBILE RUNABOUT, good running order, $75 cash. Call 105 W. PICO. 4

WANTED—TO BORROW $700 ON CHATTEL mortgage. 1544 NEWTON ST. 5

BICYCLES AND INVALID CHAIRS.

INVALID CHAIRS FOR RENT. EAMES TRICYCLE CO., 1022 San Pedro st. Phones. 4

WAGONS AND CARTS.

FOR SALE — WAGON AND HARNESS, suitable for express or delivery; cost $125 2 months ago; will sell for $50 if taken at once. 137 E. 25TH ST. 4

FOR SALE—FARM WAGON WITH GOOD bed on and harness, $35. 2268 SHERIDAN ST. Brooklyn car. 4

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—
Horses, Cattle, Mules, Etc.

FOR SALE—THE BEST HORSE FOR THE money in the city. 1100 lbs. $65. 1426 SAN PEDRO ST. 5

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, PAIR OF ranch mules, weight about 2400 lbs. Call 133 WEST 24TH ST. 6

FOR SALE—750 LB. PONY, SADDLE AND bridle; ride and drive. Address A, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—BLACK MARE, 900 LBS., NOT young, but sound and serviceable; only $45; buggy, $20. At 1422 E. 15TH ST. 4

FOR SALE—FINE BLACK DRIVING MARE, 7 years old, sound and good-appearing animal in harness. 230 W. NINTH ST. 4

FOR SALE—HEAVY WORK HORSE, $65; also sorrel mare, 7 years old and sound, $110. 2001 SAN PEDRO. 7

FOR SALE—A GOOD $25 HORSE 1459 ARAPAHOE ST. 4

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—
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FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, AT AUCTION. THREE BIG AUCTION SALES OF HORSES, BUGGIES, WAGONS AND HARNESS WILL BE HELD EVERY WEEK AT THE ASCOT STABLES, 206 SOUTH LOS ANGELES STREET, EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY AT 10 O'CLOCK. ALL HORSES GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED IN EVERY PARTICULAR.
J. H. SNOWDEN, PROPRIETOR,
S. WATKINS, AUCTIONEER. 5

FOR SALE—AS I HAVE QUIT RANCHING on account of my health and family affairs, will sell my horses and mares, 20 head; weight from 1000 to 1600 pounds; 4 to 8 years old, all broke to work and in good flesh. Any one wanting good straight stock can see them at feed yard, 1217 MISSION ROAD, opposite County Hospital. 4

FOR SALE—HAVING SOLD MY TRANSFER business I am forced to sell my horses, one double set of harness, 1 spring wagon, 1 nice black driving mare; also rides, $75; 1 small gray horse, $45; 1 chunky brown horse, suitable for ranch, $85; 1 bay mare, 1100 lbs., $75; also 1 team, $150; stock all guaranteed; must sell immediately. Call 719 S. HILL. 4

FOR SALE— —FOR SALE. For Sale—Several good work horses and mares, 1 ranch team, $50; 1 gray horse, $20; 1 driving and saddle pony, gentle, $45; 1 bay horse, $15; 1 sorrel mare, $30; also several sets of driving and work harness, $6 each. Call at FEED YARD, Fourth and San Pedro. 4

FOR SALE—PAIR DRAFT HORSES, SIX and seven, 3200 lbs.; pair good work horses, 9 years, 1250 lbs.; one pair 1200 lbs.; one single driver, 5 years, 1000 lbs.; one sorrel mare, 1100; pair mules, 1050, sound, good workers, $175; odd mule, 1400, good. 547 NEW HIGH ST. 4

FOR SALE—MULES, 10 GOOD YOUNG mules, 5 to 8 years old, 1150 to 1300 pounds; these are nice smooth chunky mules, good workers, good condition, well matched pairs, will sell one pair or all of them at a bargain. 547 NEW HIGH ST. 4

FOR SALE—GOOD FAMILY OR DELIVERY horse, weight 1150 lbs.; color bay; sound and gentle; city broke; stand with weight; work single and double; good to pull; must sell at once; price $85. Apply at flat today, 1601 SANTEE ST., corner 16th st. 4

FOR SALE—MULES.
GOOD FIRST-CLASS WORK MULES FOR RENT OR SALE, IN ANY NUMBER. APPLY AT 409-410 WEST BANK BLDG., 830 MARKET ST., SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
BRICKER & COATS.

FOR SALE—HANDSOME DARK BROWN high schooled saddle mare, very stylish, weight 1050, For particulars inquire P. O. box 633, STATION C, city, none but those desiring a high priced animal need apply. 5

FOR SALE—5 HORSES; I GIVE UP MY EXpress business, selling very cheap, one team, 2700 lbs.; other horses from 1200 each; one fine driving horse, weight 1050. 668 E. 37TH ST. Take San Pedro car, get off at 37th. 4

FOR SALE — CHEAP, TEAM SMALL horses, weight 900 lbs. each; gentle, single and double and ride; city broke; price for team, $75, or trade for large horse. 1704 S. MAIN. 4

FOR SALE—WE HAVE 8 GOOD BIG WORK mules to sell cheap; all or part; am going away in a few days and want to clean up and will sell them at a bargain. M'LELLAN, 22d and Main st. 7

FOR SALE—$900; 2 THOROUGHBRED RIDing and driving mares, young, gentle, sound, matched, very, very beautiful and stylish; really worth $1500. Address A, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—SORREL MARE, 6 YEARS OLD; fine, stylish driver; also Babcock buggy and harness; all for $250. 119 E. THIRD. Phone A3351, Main 3443. 7

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE AT SACRIfice, complete riding outfit, consisting of horse, Mexican saddle, bridle; aged 7 years; weight 850. 331 E. 12TH. 4

FOR SALE—GRAY HORSE, 3½ YEARS OLD, broke single, double and ride; weight about 900; price $90. 137 E. SUNSET BLVD., Hollywood, Cal. 7

FOR SALE—TEAM OF MULES, 8 AND 9 years old; weight 2250 lbs.; fat, sound, gentle and extra good workers; must be sold at once; price right. 547 CENTRAL AVE. 4

FOR SALE—CHUNKY BUILT RANCH OR purpose mare; weight 1175 lbs.; 9 years old; sound, gentle and good, true worker, single or double. At 547 CENTRAL AVE. 4

FOR SALE—BLACK HORSE, 1100 LBS.; sound, gentle; work any place; good puller; city broke; stand with weight; price $55. 1704 S. MAIN. 4

FOR SALE—FINE LOOKING GRAY MARE, gentle and good traveler; weight 1100; would make good family horse; cheap; $100. 626 W. 6TH. 4

FOR SALE—HORSE, SURREY AND HARness; horse is safe, sound, 1200 lbs., A1; good home desired. Bargain for you. OLIVE STABLES, 628 S. Olive. 4

FOR SALE — TEAM OF WORK HORSES, sound and in good condition; extra good pullers, single or as pair, cheap, weighing 2300. 230 W. NINTH ST. 4

FOR SALE—TEN HEAD OF GOOD CHEAP work horses, one team of mules; also good express wagon and harness. Call at 1233 SAN PEDRO ST. 4

FOR SALE—LARGE HORSE, SUITABLE for any kind of heavy work; true puller, double or single; $55 if taken at once. 137 E. 25TH. 4

FOR SALE—HORSE, HARNESS AND GROcery wagon, $75; also bay team, weight 2400 pounds. Address 325 BROOKS AVE., Venice. 4

FOR SALE—OR RENT, MULES WITH harness, plows, scrapers, tents and cook outfit. 761 BUENA VISTA ST. Both Phones 3053. 4

FOR SALE—1200-LB. BLACK HORSE, GOOD, true worker, single or double, in good condition, $85; well worth $125. 230 W. NINTH ST. 4

FOR SALE—SPAN OF A-1 MULES; WOULD exchange for good lot in Los Angeles. Address A, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE—BURRO; KIND AND GENTLE, 4 years old; new saddle and bridle, $20, BROWN BROS., 2204 W. Pico st. 4

FOR SALE—CHEAP MARE; WEIGHT 1000 lbs.; work single and double; gentle and sound; city broke, price $45. 1704 S. MAIN. 4

FOR SALE—BIG WORK HORSE; NO WORK for him, $40. 3712 TRINITY. 4

FOR SALE—FRESH COW. 460 E. AVENUE 28. 4

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Poultry, Birds, Dogs, Etc.

FOR SALE — MATED PAIR OF SQUAB-breeding Homer pigeons, all bred from Plymouth Rock and Jersey City stock; these are the finest birds on the Pacific Coast; from 10 pair to 1000 pair. Address J. J. HAISCH, Palms, Cal. 5

FOR SALE—POULTRY AT ABOUT 1-3 ORIGinal cost. 2 Cyphers model incubators, 70 and 150 egg. 2 Petalumas, 124 and 360, guaranteed in A1 condition. Delivered free. REID SCOTT, Compton, Cal. 4

FOR SALE—SOME OF THE BEST THORoughbred Angora cats of Champion and prize stock can be seen at GALLAGHER'S FURNITURE STORE, 700 W. Seventh st. 4

FOR SALE — THOROUGHBRED PERSIAN cats and kittens, sired by Marcus; make lively Christmas presents; one red male, registered. 638 E. 24TH. 22804. 4

FOR SALE—ST. BERNARD FEMALE, ONE year old. Good watch-dog. Best friend for children. 1034 NEW HAMPSHIRE ST. 5

FOR SALE—THOROUGHBRED BULL TERrier pups, $10, $12, $15. 2181 W. 31ST ST. 10

LIVE STOCK WANTED—
Of Various Kinds.

WANTED—
I have calls every day for good stock of all classes. If you want to sell your horse I will get his full value for you. If you want your stock cared for you can feel confident they will receive the best of handling, care and attention. I make a specialty of exercising and breaking high-class horses; large box stalls, good corrals and best of feed. HICKS STABLE, corner 39th street and Menlo. A1915. Main 1872. 5

WANTED—ABOUT 10 BROOD MARES, weighing 1000 to 1300; not too old; do not mind if little sore; must be cheap. Call for R. H. SEAY, at Robinson's office, 122 S. Broadway, Friday only, or telephone at once, HOME A9110; Sunset MAIN 2194. 4

WANTED—PAIR OF GOOD MARES OR mules; might take 4; would like to pay part or all with good clear Pasadena lot. W. S. THORNE, A1694. 4

STORAGE—
All Sorts.

TO LET—
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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Dec. 2.—As the business relations between the towns in the San Joaquin Valley and Los Angeles widen in scope, so also there is a corresponding increased demand for better railroad connections and faster trains. The Southern Pacific recently put on a daylight train between Fresno and Los Angeles, going and coming. This leaves here at 9 o'clock in the morning and arrives in Los Angeles early in the evening. The return hours are relatively the same.

The large traffic by this daylight train is the best proof of how much needed this accommodation was for all the towns located between the terminals. But increased accommodations are demanded.

On the Southern Pacific on Monday evening an important change for Fresno went into effect, when the road between this city and Mendota, [..] miles north of here, was made a part of the western division. The effect will be to lay over here trains which heretofore have been held at Mendota, the change point on the San Joaquin division. Heretofore also in that division were the road between Fresno and Los Angeles, the branch line to Lemoore in Kings county, south of here, and the track between Fresno and Mendota, with hte latter also a terminal for all trains going north on the west side of the valley. Tracks north and west of here on the east side were in the western division, as well as those from Mendota through Tracy and on to San Francisco. The new order will bring here many of the crews and trains which have laid over at Mendota, and involves a considerable juggling of the men. Judged from this standpoint, it is a momentous affair among the railroaders. The new order does not affect arrival or departure time of any of the trains and while new time cards will be issued, the traveling public will not notice the change.

OF VITAL IMPORTANCE.

This suggests also the movement which is of vital importance in the valley, inaugurated by H. J. White and others interested in the development of Corcoran and the tributary country in Kings county and just on the Tulare line, where the large beet sugar refinery has been located. There a new town has sprung up, and there with water development by means of artesian wells, a new era has been opened. Land which was once condemned because of alkali as unfit for agricultural purposes, has veritably been made to blossom like the rose, and a new industry has been encouraged in the raising of the sugar beet. Corcoran wants a through car service from Los Angeles to eliminate the disagreeable features of the present change of cars over the Southern Pacific and the vexatious delays at Bakersfield, south of there. The Santa Fé has taken up the project and is encouraging it, realizing that the change may largely benefit its business. The subject is considered one of importance to all the line in the southern portion of the valley, and the universal hope is that the movement may meet with success. Through cars having been assured leaving Los Angeles in the evening and landing passengers along the valley on the following morning, a material increase in prospective homeseekers and investors is expected. As Los Angeles is the Mecca of all travel from the East, the valley largely looks to it for capital to invest in new homes and enterprises.

REMARKABLE CASE.

Mrs. L. C. Holmes of Los Angeles, who was named Wagner when she married Frank F. Holmes at Bakersfield on December 24, 1899, suffered default judgment to be taken against her the other day, annulling the marriage, thus bringing to light one of the most remarkable cases in court here recently. The reason for the annulment was that S. W. Mahon, then City Recorder of Bakersfield, who married them, was not one of the designated magistrates under the code authorized to perform the ceremony. The curious features of the case were that the couple should have lived together as man and wife for nine years, lacking one month, before discovery that they were not legally wedded. Mrs. Holmes was served with summons by the Sheriff of Los Angeles on the 5th of October, but made no appearance in the case. Holmes said that he did not learn until January last that his marriage was no marriage, and neither he nor the woman had reason to doubt at the time, in December, 1899, that Mahon did not, as a magistrate, have the right to marry any couple. Holmes declared at the trial that the woman did not learn of the illegality of the Bakersfield wedding until the Sheriff served on her the copy of the complaint, filed on the 25th of last September, though his discovery was made in January, he having in the meanwhile become a resident of Fresno county. The license to marry was secured and the ceremony performed the same day. It was made to appear that the Holmeses had in fact separated about one year ago when she went to Los Angeles and he came hither, he admitting finally and reluctantly that of late years their marital relations were not congenial. There was also the feature that, notwithstanding the separation, his discovery of the illegal marriage and the delay in bringing suit for its annulment, he had until two months ago regularly sent her money to live on. Evidently the illegality was discovered by a lawyer when Holmes cast about for a cause for divorce after the separation.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

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CHAPTER III—(Continued.)

"You two are not to think you have preëmptied this point of view," broke in Mrs. Clandeboye, who, accompanied by a nondescript young man, at this moment appeared on the path below them. "Count Stelvio will pardon me, I hope, but I have come to tell Miss Methuen that it is high time for us to be going back to our hotel. Our launch is waiting, and no doubt Mrs. Methuen is wondering why we are delayed. But really it's been too beautiful to leave."

Stelvio bowed, acquiescing, but as they all four went down the hill, the Englishwoman leading with the Count, Margot could not but observe that it was as if a mask of dull indifference had descended upon his face, in response to Mrs. Clandeboye's vivacious talk. His eyes were no longer brilliant, luminous. His whole bearing was that of a man who is living down a melancholy past.

"I have had another cable," said Mrs. Methuen brightly, as her niece, carrying a bouquet of Countess Fleury's renowned roses, came into the salon an hour later.

Margot felt the glow fade from her face, the joy from her heart. She had dreamed down the lake in a tremor of delicious feeling, ever and again lifting the roses to her hot cheeks in a vain attempt to cool them. She saw that her aunt was cool, keen, determined as Mrs. Wilfred Methuen knew how to be, when she had set her mind upon winning an object. For the life of her she could not speak.

"It is from Gibraltar. Our good friend, Mr. McPhail, is actually upon his way to Genoa, and will arrive here in a week's time. You see how generously he overlooks your previous treatment of him."

"He is generous to himself ——" began the girl stormily.

"Do not interrupt me, if you please. Until I was certain that our friend was on the way, I did not care to speak to you of certain matters contained in his last letter to me."

"Nothing that you or he could say, Aunt Katrina, could make the smallest change in my dislike for him," protested she. "If he comes here, I will shut myself in my room till he has gone."

"Margot!"

There was real anger in Mrs. Wilfred Methuen's ordinarily languid and indifferent eyes. She was dressing for dinner when the girl returned, and had sent curious Lydia out of the room. A long chain of amethysts that she was in the act of throwing around her neck, slipped from her fingers and fell in a little glistening purple heap upon the carpet. In stooping to pick it up, Margot had time to stay the angry retort that sprung upon her lips.

"Let me put it on, Aunt Katrina. It goes so perfectly with that mauve chiffon. You will be, as always, the smartest, youngest-looking matron at table d'hote. Now, don't be vexed with me. If I have heard right, yours was a love match with Uncle Wilfred. You must understand that no girl can force herself to overcome a positive repulsion for a man— Oh, it is horrible that he should be coming here to spoil my idyl, my perfect dream of summer happiness."

"I think, my dear, that a girl in your position has no right to turn her back upon the one visible opportunity to lift herself and her family out of the truly miserable position in which my brother-in-law's ill-judged love of speculation has plunged them—"

"Don't say that—never say that," exclaimed Margot, softening as she always did at mention of her father. "We none of us hold him responsible. After all, it was his own patrimony to do as he pleased with. We receive all we have through his daily toil. Oh! if you knew how sometimes I hate myself for living in luxury and enjoying life as I do with you, while he—"

"He enjoys it through you, my child," said her aunt, more gently than before.

"I believe he does," said Margot, wiping away a few honest tears. "My mother says he has a map of Europe that he studies every evening, besides reading every book he can get from the Book Club that bears upon the places we've been to. After all, I don't think he'd care to do what we've done. If he has any dream of earthly joy, it's of going back some day to live at Harmony Hall. That, indeed—but poor dear, it can never, never be. Oh! I'd give worlds if he might do so."

"You need not give worlds, Margot," said Mrs. Methuen. "But there, I won't talk to you about it tonight."

"Aunt Katrina, you know something. Your face looks so mysterious. Don't keep me in suspense. But it can't be. Nothing short of a happy miracle would bring about his getting back Harmony Hall."

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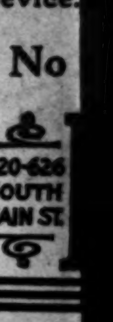
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The Count and the Congressman.

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CHAPTER III—(Continued.)

"You two are not to think you have preempted this point of view," broke in Mrs. Clandeboye, who, accompanied by a nondescript young man, at this moment appeared on the path below them. "Count Stelvio will pardon me, I hope, but I have come to tell Miss Methuen that it is high time for us to be going back to our hotel. Our launch is waiting, and no doubt Mrs. Methuen is wondering why we are delayed. But really it's been too beautiful to leave."

Stelvio bowed, acquiescing, but as they all four went down the hill, the Englishwoman leading with the Count, Margot could not but observe that it was as if a mask of dull indifference had descended upon his face, in response to Mrs. Clandeboye's vivacious talk. His eyes were no longer brilliant, luminous. His whole bearing was that of a man who is living down a melancholy past.

"I have had another cable," said Mrs. Methuen brightly, as her niece, carrying a bouquet of Countess Fleury's renowned roses, came into the salon an hour later.

Margot felt the glow fade from her face, the joy from her heart. She had steamed down the lake in a tremor of delicious feeling, ever and again lifting the roses to her hot cheeks in a vain attempt to cool them. She saw that her aunt was cool, keen, determined as Mrs. Wilfred Methuen knew how to be, when she had set her mind upon winning an object. For the life of her she could not speak.

"It is from Gibraltar. Our good friend, Mr. McPhail, is actually upon his way to Genoa, and will arrive here in a week's time. You see how generously he overlooks your previous treatment of him."

"He is generous to himself ——" began the girl stormily.

"Do not interrupt me, if you please. Until I was certain that our friend was on the way, I did not care to speak to you of certain matters contained in his last letter to me."

"Nothing that you or he could say, Aunt Katrina, could make the smallest change in my dislike for him," protested she. "If he comes here, I will shut myself in my room till he has gone."

"Margot!"

There was real anger in Mrs. Wilfred Methuen's ordinarily languid and indifferent eyes. She was dressing for dinner when the girl returned, and had sent curious Lydia out of the room. A long chain of amethysts that she was in the act of throwing around her neck, slipped from her fingers and fell in a little glistening purple heap upon the carpet. In stooping to pick it up, Margot had time to stay the angry retort that sprung upon her lips.

"Let me put it on, Aunt Katrina. It goes so perfectly with that mauve chiffon. You will be, as always, the smartest, youngest-looking matron at table d'hote. Now, don't be vexed with me. If I have heard right, yours was a love match with Uncle Wilfred. You must understand that no girl can force herself to overcome a positive repulsion for a man— Oh, it is horrible that he should be coming here to spoil my idyl, my perfect dream of summer happiness."

"I think, my dear, that a girl in your position has no right to turn her back upon the one visible opportunity to lift herself and her family out of the truly miserable position in which my brother-in-law's ill-judged love of speculation has plunged them——"

"Don't say that—never say that," exclaimed Margot, softening as she always did at mention of her father. "We none of us hold him responsible. After all, it was his own patrimony to do as he pleased with. We receive all we have through his daily toil. Oh! if you knew how sometimes I hate myself for living in luxury and enjoying life as I do with you, while he——"

"He enjoys it through you, my child," said her aunt, more gently than before.

"I believe he does," said Margot, wiping away a few honest tears. "My mother says he has a map of Europe that he studies every evening, besides reading every book he can get from the Book Club that bears upon the cities we've been to. After all, I don't think he'd care to do what we've done. If he has any dream of earthly joy, it's of going back some day to live at Harmony Hall. That, indeed—but poor dear, it can never, never be. Oh! I'd give worlds if he might do so."

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"I wish it would enter Stelvio's head to invite us to visit him in return. Mr. Lee tells me there are some treasures of art to be seen at Far Niente, but that nobody ever gets in there."

"I can hardly think that invitation would 'enter into Count Stelvio's head.'" said Margot, dreamily. Her dashed hopes about her father were already mingling with happier thoughts as she unfolded her napkin and broke off a bit of roll. Mrs. Methuen, taking quiet note of this lightning change of mood, wondered if Margot's experience in the great outer world were not really beginning to teach her common sense at last?

CHAPTER IV.

The wonderful summer days trooped on joyously like a procession of Botticelli's nymphs. Margot would not admit to herself what magic was at work in keying her spirits to a pitch they had never before reached during her travels with her aunt. Nothing more was said about McPhail's visit, and—if occasionally, a shade of anxiety came over her because Aunt Katrina had ominously ceased all allusion to the detested American wooer—in such beautiful weather, in such a world of bloom and sunshine it was not possible to dwell upon disagreeable things, so long as she did not see or hear them! Nor had further reference been made to the prospect held for a moment before her dazzled eyes, of lifting the life burden from her father's shoulders. She almost thought it had been a dream that Aunt Katrina had ever promised to tell her how this blessed task could be accomplished; if not a dream of her own, at least a delusion of Aunt Katrina's, who when she was set upon having her own way, often cleverly persuaded herself that facts may be disestablished!

Count Stelvio, having been duly presented as a caller in Mrs. Methuen's salon, came frankly and frequently. Aunt Katrina, artistic to her finger tips, seemed fascinated by his youthful beauty, his engaging manners, his fitness to his frame.

During the midday hours, when a golden haze of heat lay upon all things living, substituting torpor for exertion, the ladies kept behind double blinds, in the cool darkness of flower-laden rooms. In the late afternoon, they made many excursions, chiefly by water, since to drive with horses at Lake Como means jogging along a hard, burning high road in a velvet-lined landau, conducted by a theatrical personage in a coat of many colors and many buttons, who at every opportunity, blows an ear-piercing blast upon a curly brass horn; and their heavy touring-car seemed to lack proportion with the miniature beauties of this landscape.

At night, again, they would go out in the launch Mrs. Methuen had now hired for her own personal use; cutting the silver waters of the lake, gazing up at the dark shoulders of the mountains reared against their starry background — watching the foam bells clash together in their wake—or listening, in silence too full for words, to the music floating out to them across the rose-gardens of some lighted villa.

In a short time, the appearance of young Stelvio at the gatherings of residents on the lake who exchanged civilities chiefly of an aquatic sort, had ceased to be commented upon as a novelty. Margot, through Countess Fleury, had come to be known by the desirable entertainers, and now found herself daily meeting him. As it had begun to be understood among neighborhood gossips that Miss Methuen had no fortune, and was entirely dependent upon the good graces of a fairly youthful and well-preserved relative-in-law, much quiet sympathy was expressed for the young man's unfortunate début in the tender passion attributed to him: Countess Fleury who perhaps more than anyone else regretted the circumstance of his infatuation for the fair Washingtonian, declared that she washed her hands of the whole affair; having brought the two together to gratify her own aesthetic sense of a perfect harmony in contrasted coloring, without imagining that Stelvio was fool enough to play with his only chance of rehabilitating his shattered fortunes, when she had distinctly told him of a Chicago heiress coming to visit her during the autumn season. What more the Countess might have said, was temporarily put out of her head by the arrival of a young artist from Paris, summoned by telegraph to redecorate the long gallery of her chateau, who proving to be unusually good-looking and well-mannered, was adopted by the charming lady as a favorite of the hour, Stelvio for the moment dropping out of place.

Mrs. Clandeboye and Mr. Lee, still lingering on at Villa d'Este, were often included in the hospitalities of Mrs. Methuen's launch parties, and sometimes exchanged comments on the progress of affairs.

"I can't understand it in the least;" the English woman said. "They must both know, and the aunt certainly knows, that the thing is out of the question."

"My own opinion is there is somebody in their own country," answered Mr. Lee, sapiently. "Somebody fatiguingly rich and uninteresting like so many of their men. La Belle Demoiselle will go back home to marry him, and in the meantime the aunt will not interfere with this idyl which keeps her charge harmlessly amused."

"What a horribly cold-blooded way to look at it," cried Mrs. Clandeboye, who herself matrimonially disillusioned and accustomed to travel on the continent while her liege lord hugged his ancestral acres in Hertfordshire, could not easily be shocked. "But you are so clever, Mr. Lee, I wonder if you are not right. If the girl has to marry money, which the aunt seems to expect ——"

"In these days, the wheels positively won't go round without a great lot of it, will they?" asked Mr. Lee.

"Oh, never," said the lady, fervently. "As I was saying, if Margot is bound to be bored to extinction for the rest of her existence, it seems cruel to cut her off from this good little time at Como. And I'll own I've been selfishly hoping to profit by the affair, to the extent of an invitation to visit Far Niente. I went so far yesterday as to tell Stelvio, in her presence, that she and I were both dying to see the gardens, the Biberon, and the books."

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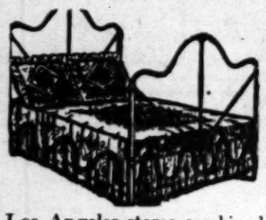

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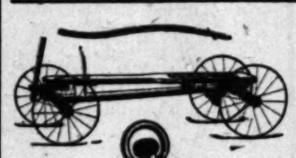

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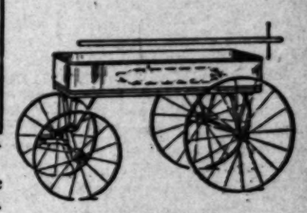

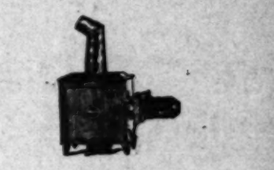

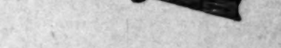

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Monday	$2,324,749.42
Tuesday	2,466,557.38
Wednesday	2,447,381.05
Thursday	1,962,586.02
Total	$9,202,075.83
Same time, 1907	4,785,462.71
Same time, 1906	8,890,421.41

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Amalgamated Oil	$75.00	$80.00
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Brookshire Oil	....	1.80
Central	....	.90½
Columbia	1.03¾	....
Continental	.20¼	....
Elk Consolidated Oil Co.	.04¾	.09
Fullerton Oil	.47	.70
Globe	.14¾	.15
Mexican Petroleum	1.30	1.35
New Pa. Petroleum Co.	.30	.35
Olinda Oil Co.	.24¾	.25½
Perseus Oil Co.	.25	.25
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	.76	....
Union	94.00	95.00
Union Provident Co.	92.50	93.00
United Petroleum	94.00	98.00
Western Union	....	100.00

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Bank of So. California	....	120.00
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California Savings Bank	....	135.00
Central National Bank	148.00	175.00
Citizens' National	225.00	250.00
Commercial National	250.00	250.00
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	280.00	300.00
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Merchants' National	440.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	150.00	200.00
National Bank of Com.	....	115.00
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Cucamonga Water Co.	....	94
Edison Electric Co., 1s R.	96	100
Ed. Electric Co., old issue	99¼	102
Home Telephone Co.	100	105
Home Tel. Co., 1st Refg.	83¼	85
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge.	72¾	75
L. A. Railway Co.	101	105
L. A. Traction Co. 6s	105	111
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	104	110
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	92½	....
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	93
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	....	103
Pacific Light & Power Co.	91	96½
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San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	35.00
S. Monica B. H. T. pfd.	....	40.00
Seaside Water Co.	50.00	70.00
Title G. & Trust Co. pfd.	160.00	200.00
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd.	136.50	....
Title I. & Trust Co. com.	136.50	....
Title I. & Trust, Ser. C.	136.50	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. pfd.	45.25	....

SALES: 10 American National Bank at 117.00; 2325 Globe Oil at 13@14½; 55 Union Oil at 94.00@94.75; 10 Union Provident at 92.00; 1000 Central Oil at 90; 2000 Olinda Land at 25; 5 Home preferred at 55.50. Off-board: 10 Home preferred at 55.00; 10 Union Provident at 90.00.

MINING STOCKS.
CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Asked.
Greenwater District—		
Clark Copper Co.	.10½	.12
Furnace Creek Copper	.11	.17
Miscellaneous—		
California Hills M. Co.	.12½	.14
Consolidated Mines Co.	.02¼	....

NEVADA.

	Bid.	Asked.
Johnnie District (Nye county)—		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.01½	.02¼
Searchlight District—		
Eldorado Can. M. & M. Co.	.00½	....
Nevada Searchlight	.00¾	.01¼
Quartette	....	10.50
Searchlight Parallel	.04¼	.04½

SALES: 1000 Consolidated Mines at 2¼; 2000 do. at 2½, B. 60.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Santa Cruz mountain grapes are at present among the most attractive arrivals on the market. They are chiefly the Verdel variety, a white grape, similar in a slight degree to the champagne grape. The price on them ranges from 90c to $1 per crate. A few red emperors are also coming from that district. Malaga grapes have advanced right up to $1.25 a box and all good stock will sell at that figure. Cornichons remain firm at a range from $1 to $1.25. The only grapes that are still arriving from the fields are the missions and they are about gone. Muscats are very scarce, the rain having destroyed the few that still remained on the vines.

The rains are attracting considerable attention among the produce men. They mean lower prices in eggs and butter within a very short time and they mean more buying on the part of the farmer, who will soon start planting for the spring harvest. Yesterday on the Produce Exchange there was considerable effort expended in the sale of eggs. Storage stock was offered in large quantities and there were also good offers of options on Aprils. Local case count sold at their regular figure and a cent below. No change in the list price was recorded however. Receipts were only 54 cases.

Cooking butter and ladles were the two varieties that had any attention on 'change. Offerings however elicited very few bids. On the street there was evidence of slight weakening in best butter grades. Total arrivals were 14,188 pounds.

Cheese was very active in the varieties offered. Nearly all eastern and some northern were put on sale. Five cases of Oregon triplets were sold. Arrivals were 3016 pounds.

Light potato receipts were very noticeable. Only 333 sacks were reported in. On 'change there were no offerings at all. On the street a few Oregons and some Salinas were traded.

Lompoc onions were the featured variety, 25 sacks changing hands on call. The price on Lompoc stays well above the other onions. Australians moved fairly well. Receipts were only 27 sacks.

Outside bean arrivals were 14 sacks. All varieties were offered in large quantities and 300 bags of pinks were sold.

Sweet potato receipts were 243 sacks. There were several good sales which totaled 60 sacks, all yellows.

Options on several cars of bellefleurs were called for but not offered. Some of the first storage bells were seen on the open market. They sold at 25 cents more per box than late arrivals. The price on all bells was advanced and the range now runs from 85c to $1.10 per four tier box. Ben Caps were advanced fractionally while the price of Spitzenbergs declined to $2 as bottom. Apple receipts yesterday were 2764 boxes.

Members of the Produce Exchange started an agitation for better express and freight service over the electric roads yesterday morning. There has been considerable complaint, particularly against the Pacific Electric Company where shipments are held up from early in the morning until late in the afternoon on account of an insufficient force to handle the goods at the depot. A committee to ask for better service was appointed and consists of Carl McStay, J. D. Simpson and E. B. Rivers.

Prices Current.

EGGS — [illegible] California ranch, candled, se[illegible]; fresh ranch, local, case count, 29@[illegible]; eastern, fresh, 40@42; eastern, storage, [illegible].

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 77½ per 2-lb. roll; creamery, firsts, 65; dairy butter, 50; cooking, 24 per lb.; eastern, extras, 62½ per 2-lb. square.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 17; Cal. Y. A., 19; northern, fresh, 17@17½; eastern, daisies, 17½@18; Longhorns, 16½@17; N. Y. twins, 17; singles, 18; hand, 17; Dom. Swiss, 17@18; Imp., 28; Limburger, 18; cheddars, 17; brick cream, 18; Dom. block, 18; Roquefort, 42; Edam, 20@30; per case, 8.75@9.00; Tulare, 14@15; Sierra, 1.10 per box; German Breakfast, 1.10 per box; Neufchatel, 1.30 per box; Camembert, 1.20 per box; Schlosskase, 1.00 per box; Canada cream, 4@1.00 per box.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.25@3.50; Lady Washington, No. 1, 4.40@4.60; small white, No. 1, 5.00; Limas, No. 1, 4.75@5.00; American lentils, 9.00; black eye, 3.50; Garvanzas, 3.00@2.50; Bayou beans, 3.50@4.00.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, 7½; blackberries, 30 1-lb. cartons, 12@13. Citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 12½@15. Currants imp., fancy, bulk, recleaned, 10; fancy, 50 1-lb. pkgs., 10½; fancy, 50 ¾-lb. packages, 8½. Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 60s, 6½@7; Fards, fancy, 12s, 8½@9. Figs, new, per box, 50 ¾-lb. bricks, 1.85@2.00; White, 10 1-lb. bricks, 1.10; White, loose, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, 3½; Black, loose, 25s, 1.25 per box. Nectarines, per lb., fancy, 25s, 9@10. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 25s, 7½@8; choice, 50s, 6¼@7½; choice, sacks, 6; fancy peeled, 25s, 20. Pears, fancy, 25s, 9@10. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 13. Plums, prunes, fancy San Jose, 40-50, 7; 50-60, 6½; 60-70, 6; 70-80, 25s, 5½; 80-90, 5; pitted, 25s, 14; 25s, 5; 90-100, 25s, 4½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, ¼c less; in 5-lb. boxes, 2c extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Apricots, fancy, 9@10; choice, 8@9. Pears, 9. Plums, 8@9.

RAISINS—Per box, layers, 2-crown, 1.35; 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.45; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.00@2.50; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.75; clusters, 5-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.65; clusters, 5-crown, 5-lb. boxes, 65@75; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.75@3.25; loose Muscatels, per lb., 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5@6; 2-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5½@6¼; 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 6@7; Seedless Sultanas, 50-lb. boxes, unbleached, 5; bleached, 7@8; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50s, 10; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50 1-lb., 11@12; seeded, fancy, 36 1-lb., 8@9; fancy, 50 1-lb., 8@9.

NUTS—New, almonds, fancy IXL, 14; almonds, fancy, paper-shell, 15; almonds, choice, softshell, 13; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 15@16; Brazils, large, new crop, 16; filberts, large, new crop, 15; pecans, large, 17@18; small, 9@12; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 7; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," roasted, 9; peanuts, Japs, fancy, raw, 6@7; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 8@9; California, raw, 5@6; pinenuts, 17; walnuts, Jumbos, 15½; No. 1, softshell, 13; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 10; walnuts, black, 7@10; cocoanuts, 90 per doz.; popcorn, 4.50@5.00; chestnuts, 12@13.

HONEY — Comb honey, water white, 1-lb. frames, 14@15; light amber, 12½@14; white, 13@14; extracted, light amber, 6@6½; water white, 7½@8; white, 7@7½; beeswax, 30 per lb.

CITRUS FRUITS — Navels, Yuma, 4.00; fancy pack, northern Navels, 2.50@2.75; local Navels, 2.25; Valencia oranges, fancy pack, 3.00@3.25; seconds, 1.50@2.00; lemons, fancy packed, 2.50; choice lemons, 1.75@2.25; unpacked stock, 1.00@1.50; grapefruit, seedless, 4.00; seedling grapefruit, 2.50@2.00; Limes, small, 1.00 per 100; Tangerines, 2.00@2.25 per box.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Ben Caps, 1.25@1.50; Northern Spies, 75@1.00; Bellefleurs, 4½-tier, 65@75; 4-tier, 85@1.10; Red Pearmains, 90@1.00; Kings, 90@1.00; Spitzbergens, 2.25@2.50; California Jonathans, 2.50; Baldwins, 1.00@1.25; Hoovers, 1.15@1.25; Ganos, 1.50@1.60; Arkansas Blacks, 1.25@1.50; Newtown pippins, 1.25@1.50; Smith Ciders, 85@1.00; Ben Davis, 1.00@1.50; Casabas, 1.75@2.00 per crate; Santa Claus melons, 1.75@2.00 per crate; Yellow Clings, 90@1.00; White Health, 85@1.00; pineapples, 7@8 per lb.; bananas, 3¼@4½ per lb.; plums, 1.00@1.25; grapes, Muscats, 1.00@1.10; Malagas, 1.00@1.25; Black Moroccos, 1.00; Black Hamburgs, 1.00; Red Emperors, 1.00@1.25; Cornichons, 1.00@1.25; Missions, 75; pears, Bartletts, 2.00 per pear box; Winter Nellis pears, 1.00 per box; pomegranates, 90@1.25 per box; persimmons, 5@7 per lb.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 7@10; raspberries, 13; blackberries, 12@13; huckleberries, 5@6; guavas, 5; cranberries, 12.00 per bbl.

ONIONS AND CHILI—Evaporated chili, 11; sun-dried chili, 11; ground chili, 7½; Mexican black, 90. Onions, Yellow Danvers, 1.00@1.25 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.00@1.25; Crystal Wax, 1.00@1.25; Lompoc Browns, 1.25; Yellow Globes, 1.00@1.15; garlic, 6@8 per lb.

POTATOES—Yellow sweet potatoes, 1.25@1.35; white sweets, 1.00; red sweets, 1.00; potatoes, Burbanks, 1.50; Highlands, 1.00@1.25; Salinas, 1.65@1.75; Oregons, 1.50@1.65; Lompocs, 1.65@1.75; Idahos, 1.50.

GREEN VEGETABLES — Beets, 25; carrots, 35; parsley, 20@25 per doz.; spearmint, 25 per doz.; turnips, 20@25; oyster plant, 25; peas, 6@7; radishes, 15@20 per doz.; watercress, 30@40 per doz.; spinach, 20@25; cabbage, green, 1.25@1.50 per sack; red, 2@3 per lb.; green onions, 15@20 per doz.; leeks, 40@50 per doz.; lettuce, common, 75@85 per crate; endive, 40 per doz.; parsnips, 25 per doz.; tomatoes, 25@35 per box; yellow tomatoes, 25@35 per box; pie pumpkins, 2@3; cultivated mushrooms, 2.00@2.25 per basket; artichokes, 1.10 per doz.; Jerusalem artichokes, 75@1.00; wax beans, 5; green string beans, 5 per lb.; green Lima beans, 4 per lb.; red chili peppers, 7@9 per lb.; green chili peppers, 25@30 per box; bell peppers, 25 per box; celery, 2.25@2.25 per crate; celery root, 75 per doz.; rhubarb, 75@1.00 per box; crooked neck squash, 35@50 per box; Hubbard squash, 1 per lb.; cream squash, 40@50; cauliflower, 40@65 per doz.; horseradish, 12@15 per lb.; dill, 20@25 per lb.; chives, 1.00@1.25 per doz.; eggplant, 5@7 per lb.; okra, 7@9 per lb.; cucumbers, 50@1.25 per doz.; pickles, 1.50@2.00; Brussels sprouts, 10 per lb.

POULTRY—Dealers buy from the producer, live weight. Old roosters, 7; stags, 7; hens, 14 per lb.; ducks, 12@13; geese, 12; turkeys, 15@20; squab pigeons, 1.25@1.75 per doz.; fryers, 16@17; broilers, 20; roosters, 3 lbs. up, 15. Wholesaler sells to retailer, live weight: Hens, 15; young roosters, 18; fryers, 20; broilers, 22; old roosters, 8; turkeys, 20@21; geese, 14@15; ducks, 14@15. Dressed weight averages from 2 to 5 cents higher than live weight.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Hauser Packing Co.) Beef, fed steers, 4@4¼; heifers, 3¼@3½; cows, 2¾@3; calves, 4½@4¾; mutton, wethers, 3.00@3.25 per head; ewes, 2.75@3.00; lambs, 3.00; lambs, milk-fed, 3.25; hogs, 150 to 200 lbs., weighed and delivered, 6¼; hogs, 200 to 300 lbs., 6.

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, per lb., 6¾; second, 6½; third, 6¼@6½; heifers, 6; hind quarters, 8½; fore quarters, 5; loins of beef, No. 1, 11; ribs of beef, No. 1, 9; chucks, 4½@4¾; plates, 4; round and rumps, 7¾; beef tenderloins, 25; square beef clods, 10; shoulder clods, 10; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7¼; flank steaks, 10; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimming, 7; beef tongues, 10; ox tails, 5; lambs' tongues, per doz., 10; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 30 kidney suet, per lb., 6; kidneys, each, 6; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10; sides, 5½; heads, 2.50.

MUTTON—Dressed mutton, ewes, per lb., 8½; dressed mutton, wethers, 9; dressed mutton, yearlings, 9½; milk lambs, 10; sheep, 3.00@4.00.

VEAL—Calves, 100 to 200 lbs., 8½@10½; hides, 75-100, 8½; hind quarters, 11; fore quarters, 6; heads (frozen,) 50 each; feet (frozen,) 5 each; livers, 25 each.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 9; dressed hogs head off, 10; trimmed hogs, 11; pork loins, 12; fresh picnics, 8½; pork shoulders, 9½; pork butts, 11½; fresh hams, 12; bellies, fresh, 13; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 6; fresh pork spare ribs, 7½; pork tenderloins, 20; back fat, 10½; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 2½; tongues (pickled, sweet or fresh,) 10; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb., 5½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 7; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb., 4½; livers, each, 6; hearts, each, 2.

BACON—Winchester 10-lb. bacon, 17½; Winchester 6-8 lb. bacon, 17¾; 12 Ave., 16¾; Empire, 18½; 42'er, 16@17; Premium, 22; Atlas bacon, 16; Gold Band, 19½; Diamond C, 20; Helmet bacon, 15½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 15¼; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 17¾; Rex Breakfast bacon, 10-12 avg., 16¾; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 17¾; Regal bacon, 16¾; Helmet bacon, 8-10 avg., 17¼; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 18¼; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 18½; Armour's Star Wide bacon, 4 to 6 lbs., 23½; Armour's Wide bacon, 6-8 avg., 20½; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 19¾; Special bacon, 17; Western bacon, 10-12 lbs. avg., 18¾.

DRY SALTED MEATS — Dry salt narrow bellies, 12½; dry salt clear bellies, 16-20 avg., 12½; dry salt backs, 13¼; short clear backs, 12¾; dried beef, insides, 25; dried beef, outsides, 17; beef knuckles, 21; medium bacon, 14@14½; bacon strips, 12¾; bacon backs, 14¼.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 3.60; honey-comb tripe, keg, 1.85; honey-comb tripe, kits, 95; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 4.80; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.60; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 2.00.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex, 15¼; Rex skinned hams, 16¼; Diamond C, 16¼; Diamond C skinned hams, 17¼; boiled boneless Rex hams, 15¼; Regal, 15; mild-cured hams, 12½; plain hams, 13½; Winchester, small, 10 to 12 avg., 15½; Winchester hams, avg., 15¼; Premium, 10 to 12 avg., 17; Winchester picnics, 10½; Winchester boiled hams, 22½; Winchester skinned hams, 16; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 11; Premium skinned hams, 17¾; Atlas hams, 14; minced ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 23; Premium boiled hams, 23; Oxford boiled hams, 15½; Star boiled hams, 24½; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 18½; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 18; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 18¼; Helmet hams, 16¼; Star skinned hams, 18¾; Armour's Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 17; Shield picnics, 10; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 17; Shield boiled hams, 24; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14½; Jefferson hams, 25; Western hams, 16½.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in,) bbls., 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone out,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless,) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls., 14.25; half-bbls., 7.00; family pork, bbls., 26.50; half-bbls., 13.75; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 25.00; half-bbls., 13.00; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 29.00; half-bbls., 15.00; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb., 13½; cases, 17½; 10-lb. cans, 11; leaf lard, 13; Rex pure lard, 12¾; Premium lard, 14½; Silver Leaf lard, 13, Jewel Compound, 8½; Crescent lard, 12; back fat, 3½; Yellow Cotosuet, 9; White Cotosuet, 9½; Mission lard, 10¾; Star lard, 14; Armour's Compound lard, western, 7½; Compound lard, eastern, 8; Diamond C settle lard, 14¼; White Ribbon, 8¾; basis suetene, 9@9¼; vegetole lard, 10½; K. C. lard, 12½; Armour's Shield lard, 12; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 13; Armour's Vegetole, 10; Fairbanks White Cottolene, 1 case, 7.25; 5 cases, 7.15; 10 cases, 7.10; 25 cases, 7.00; Bakers' Cottolene, 1 tierce, 9¾; 2 tierces, 9¾; 5 tierces, 9½; Fairbanks Snow White lard, tierce basis, 8¼.

SAUSAGE — Bologna, per lb., 7½; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 8; blood sausage, 8½; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12½; head cheese, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; Spanish pork sausage, 11; Wiener sausage, 8½; Frankfurt sausage, 8½; New England ham sausage, 11½; minced sausage, in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage, in sacks, 12; German Salami, 27; Milan Salami, 26; Mortadella, 25; Gothear, 25; Star Summer, 24; Aries, 25; Cervelat, 24.

SALT—Western, handled through L. A. jobbers. Princess salt, cartons, 20 2s, per case, 1.40; 250-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized pockets, per bale, 2.00; Worthington Daily, 50s, per ton, 16.00; 100, per ton, 15.00; 224s, per ton, 14.00; Crown or Gran. Dairy, 50s, 15.00; 100s, 14.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 14.00; 100s, 13.00; granulated and ⅛-ground, 100s, 10.00; granulated and ⅛-ground, large, per ton, 10.50; ice-cream and evaporated, sheep, 50s, per ton, 10.00; 100s, per ton, 10.50; hide and ice-cream, No. 2, per ton, 9.40; lump, stock, imported, per ton, 22.00. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls., add 10c; ½-bbls., 25c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are less cash, less 25c cwt., 15 days. Beet gran., 5.75; Standard cane, 6.15; Standard berry, 6.15; Cube A, crushed or fine crushed, 6.40; Candy gran., 6.25; Powdered, 6.25; C. & H. Confectioners' A, 6.15; Western Cop. A, 6.15; Magnolia A, 5.75; Extra C or B, 5.65; Golden C, 5.65; D, 5.45; Bowles 6x powdered, 30-lb. boxes, 8.20; Bowles 6x powdered, ¼-bbls., 7.45; Bowles 6x powdered, bbls., 7.00; Bowles Bros. bar, bbls., 7.30; Bowles Bros. Bar, ½-bbls., 8.05; Bowles Bros. Bar, 30-lb. tins, 9.65; Bowles Bros. Bar, 30-lb. boxes, wood, 9.50; Palace Bar, 25-lb. tins, 9.90; Dominos, 11.10.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.75; Globe flour, 6.15; Select California white wheat: Silver Star flour, 5.40; XXX flour, 4.65; Capitol flour, 5.65; A1 bakers' flour, 5.35; Aurora, 5.25; Mikado, 4.85; Trophy, 4.65; Crown flour, 4.40.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 6.25; Mayflower, 4.65; Eclipse, 4.65.

FLOUR—	In boxes.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	....	$3.10	....	....
Buckwheat flour	....	$3.70	3.50	$3.45	$3.40
Graham flour	....	....	3.00	2.95	2.90
Rye flour or meal	....	....	3.00	2.95	2.90
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	2.95	2.90	2.85
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.35	4.35	4.30	4.25
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	....	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Cracked wheat	....	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Entire wheat flour	....	....	3.10	3.05	3.00
Pearl barley	....	....	5.50	5.45	5.40
Split peas, green	....	5.85	5.65	5.60	5.55
Split peas, yellow	....	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Gluten flour	....	4.15	3.95	3.90	3.85
Hominy, large or small	....	4.30	4.00	3.95	3.90
Farina	....	3.90	3.60	3.55	3.50
Nutrina Gem	$3.50	4.00	3.80	2.75	3.70
Rolled wheat in barrels, net weight 125 lbs. per sack					4.20

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Pure, 100-lb. sacks, 4.45; new process, 4.25; mixed, 4.00.

GRAIN AND FEED — Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.90; wheat, No. 1, 1.95; wheat, cracked, 2.00; corn, 1.80; corn, Sm. Y., 1.70; cracked corn, 1.95; feed meal, 2.00; bran, heavy, 1.65; rolled barley, 1.60; linseed oilcake meal, 1.85; cotton-seed meal, 1.35; cocoanut cake, 1.35; shorts, 1.80; oats, white Oregon, 1.90; oats, red, seed, California, 2.25; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.65@1.75; K. & P. corn, 1.85; cocoanut meal, 1.35.

	10.	25.	50.	100.
Excelsior Chick Food	$3.35	$3.30	$3.25	$3.00
" Fattening Food	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.00
" Egg Food	.75	....	....	1.85
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	1.85
" Chick Food, 20 5-lb. pkgs., per case	....	....	....	3.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5; new ear corn, 4.00@4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 19.00@21.00; No. 2, 15.00@16.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 20.00@21.00; No. 2, 16.00@17.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 22.00@23.00; No. 2, 18.00@19.00; northern alfalfa, 16.00@17.00; local, 17.00@18.00.

LINSEED OIL—Boiled, in barrels, 62; raw, in barrels, 60; in cases, 6c higher.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 62; in barrels, 56.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars, Los Angeles:

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 15c per gal.; do., cases, 22c per gal.; No. 2 engine distillate, bulk, 7½c per gal.; No. 1 distillate, 8½c per gal.; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 13c; cases, 20c.

FUEL OIL—75@80 per bbl.

ILLUMINATING OILS — Water white, per gal., in barrels, 10; in tank wagons, 10; Pearl, in cases, 17½ per gal.; Astral, cases, 17½; Eocene, cases, 20½ per gal.; Elaine, cases, 28½; Star, 17½ per gal.

Metal Market

SILVER.
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Bar silver, 48¼.

LEAD.
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Lead dull at 4.25 to 4.30.

COPPER.
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Copper dull. Lake, 14.37½ to 14.50; electrolytic, 14.12½ to 14.25; casting, 14.00 to 14.12½.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

LOCAL 'CHANGE BRISKLY BUSY.

LARGE VOLUME OF TRADING IN ACTIVE MARKET.

New High Records Scored by Union Oil Issues, and Affiliated Stocks Close With Sharp Gains. Rumors of Increase in Dividend Rate Causes Advance.

Energetic bidding, and trading of considerable volume were the features of a remarkably active market on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday. Sharp advances in several of the favorite investment securities, and a seemingly unsatisfied demand for one or two were points of interest about the day's doings on the floor. There was a large crowd of interested onlookers about the rail, and an unusually large number of brokers on the floor. Most of the trading was distinctly on investment demand, very little appearing professional.

New high records were scored by all the Union Oil issues yesterday, each of the three affiliated stocks closing with sharp gains. Union closed at 94.00@95.00, up 3½ and 3 points, respectively, compared with Wednesday's closing on sales of fifty-five shares at 94.00@94.75.

Union Provident sold at 92.00, regular, ten shares changing hands at that price. The stock closed at 92.50@93.00, a rise of 2¾ points being apparent in each quotation. Ten shares of this stock were reported sold off board at 90.00, prior to the opening. The demand soon forced the quotations up. While no trading was carried on in United Petroleum, there was a strong demand for the stock, resulting in a three-point rise in the bid to 94.00. It closed without an offering.

The activity in the Union Oil issues seems to be the result of a rumor in financial circles of an increase in the dividend rate. This may take the form of a direct increase from 6 to 7 per cent. on a par of 100.00, or it may come as an extra, or "Christmas" dividend. Predictions are freely made that the stock will go to par within one or two weeks at the most, the time being more expressly stated as about December 15 to 20. With a dividend rate of 7 per cent. the stock should easily be worth par, or possibly sell at a slight premium.

Interest in Home Telephone preferred also was very strong, the market seeming to be flooded with buying orders. Most of these were issued by bona fide investors, who have been trying in vain to pick up the stock at prices below 60.00 for some time. A chance seemed to have presented itself with the bad feeling of the market as the result of the recent court decision, and many gave orders to buy should the stock go down. Their very eagerness to purchase has acted against them, and the stock now is nearly as strong as prior to the announcement of the court decision.

There is still a bearish influence in the Home preferred market, but this seems to have lost its power in the face of investment demand. Only five shares were sold on the floor yesterday, 55.50 being the price. The stock closed in very strong demand, at 55.25@57.00, and there seems every chance that it will continue on higher and reach the 60.00 level. The demand for Home common took new life yesterday, as the result of the inquiry for the preferred. It closed at 12.50@15.00, up 2½ in the bid.

Associated, for the first time in a month or more, closed without a trade on the floor. It was quoted at 38.12½@38.50, each quotation showing a decline of ⅛ of a point. There was little or no attempt to do business in the stock, except where a trader would bid for a block considerably below the market.

Globe Oil was active and in demand, closing at 14¼@15, up 1¼ and ½ point, respectively, after sales of 2325 shares. Central Oil closed at 90½ on sales of 1000 shares at 90. Columbia was in strong demand, closing with a rise of 1¼ points, at 1.03¾ bid. None was sold and little or none offered.

Olinda was a trader at 25, the close being strong, at 24¾@25½, up ½ in the asking price, compared with Wednesday. Perseus Oil closed with a 5-point rise in the bid, at 25@25. There was a demand for Rice Ranch, which closed at 76 bid, up 6 points above Wednesday's close. Other oils were about as usual.

The Edison Electric stocks are in demand, closing higher each day, with no trading on the floor. The preferred was quoted at 83.00@85.00 yesterday, showing a rise of 1 and 2¼ points, respectively. Common was bid for at 64.00, closing offered at 66.00, the former showing a rise of 1¼ and the latter of 1 point, compared with the preceding day. United States Long Distance was in demand, closing 4¼ points up, compared with bids of the previous session. None was sold.

The inquiry for the bond was strong, although none changed hands. Associated bonds were up ¾ of a point in the bid, at 83¾@87½. There was a demand for the Home bonds, but the first mortgage issue closed unchanged. The first refunding closed ½ up in the bid and 1 higher in the asking price, at 72½@75. Temescal Water closed at 98¾@100, up ¼ in the bid.

The bank stocks were very firm, trading being carried on in ten shares of American National Bank at 117.00. The close was at 118.00, with no bid. Southern Trust closed 2 points higher in the bid, at 67.00, and Home Savings was 5 points higher in the bid, at 110@120.00.

Three thousand shares of Consolidated Mines were sold during the so-called "mining call," prices ranging from 2¼, regular, to 2½, buyer sixty days.

CONSOLIDATED CLIMBING.

Goldfield Leader Sells at Eight Dollars on Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange and Demand Is Strong.

Goldfield Consolidated reached the highest level in several months on the Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange yesterday, sales reaching 7.90. The demand was pronounced for this and kindred stocks of the Goldfield camp. Aside from the inquiry for the best stocks, the markets, here and in San Francisco, were narrow. The cheaper issues are almost neglected in general trading. Once in a while a trader will rig the market up or down in some of the small issues, and scalp "cigar" money, but these stocks soon will be only memories.

Consolidated closed at 7.90@8.00 on the informal, showing a rise of 40 and 30 points, respectively, in the bid and asked quotations. Florence was quoted at 4.60@4.70, up 10 points in each. Sales were registered at 4.65, a total of 200 shares changing hands.

Rawhide Coalition sold up to 1.30 regular, and to 1.25, seller 5 days, on the early session, and closed offered at 1.30 on the informal.

There was some trading in Combination Fraction, which changed hands to the extent of 600 shares at 1.37@1.38 on the regular call. None sold on the informal and the stock closed at 1.37@1.39, up 1 point in the bid.

Bonnie Clare sold at 6¾. Eureka at 9.00 a thousand and Lige Harris at 4.00 a thousand. Crown Point Globe changed hands at 7½, and 1000 California Hills at 1¾.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

The closing quotations on the Nevada mining stocks, made yesterday on the Los Angeles-Nevada Mining Stock Exchange, ground floor of the H. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Spring streets, together with the regular call sales and the sales of the afternoon informal session, were as follows:

NEVADA—GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Combination Fraction	$1.37	$1.39
Daisy	.84	....
Diamondfield	.10½	.11½
Florence	4.60	4.70
*Florence L. & M.	6.50	8.00
Goldfield Con. Mines	7.90	8.00
Great Bend	.27	.29½
Jumbo Extension	.24	.27
Little Florence	.10½	....
Preferred Prospects—		
Atlanta	....	.21½
Baby Florence	....	.07½
Blue Bull	.11¾	....
Booth	.26	....
Florence Extension	.09	.10
Grandma	.04	....
Mohawk Extension	.01¾	....
Red Top Extension	.05	....
Yellow Tiger	.11¾	.12½
Prospects—		
Blue Bell	.04¾	.05
*Dixie	3.50	3.50
*Eureka	9.00	....
Great Bend Annex	....	.07
Milltown Fraction	.01¾	.01½
Red Hills M. & L.	.00¾	....

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Bonnie Clare	.06	.07
Preferred Prospects—		
Montgomery Mt.	....	.09½
Prospects—		
*Lige Harris	3.50	4.00

JOHNNIE DISTRICT.

	Bid.	Asked.
Johnnie M. & M.	.17½	....
Crown Point Globe	.07½	.08

OTHER DISTRICTS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Balloon Hill Fraction	.01¾	.01¾
Clark Copper	.10	....
Nevada Hills	2.30	....
Rawhide Coalition	....	1.30
Leon G. & S.	.15¼	....
First Nat'l Gold & Copper	.18½	....
Hermosa	.02¾	....

CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Hills	.12¾	.13½
Consolidated Mines Co.	.02¼	.02½

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	37.75	38.50
Columbia	1.10	....
Globe Oil	.14¼	.15
Mex. Petroleum pfd.	....	60.00
Mex. Petroleum com.	17.00	....
Union Oil	92.00	95.00
Western Union	....	102.00
Olinda	.24¾	....

*Per thousand shares.

SALES—Morning call: 1000 Baby Florence at 2½; 2000 do. at 2, S. 5; 2000 Bonnie Clare at 6¾; 600 Combination Fraction at 1.37@1.38; Rawhide Coalition at 1.30; 200 do. at 1.25, S. 5; 1000 Eureka at 9.00 per thousand shares; 400 Consolidated at 7.90; 2000 Lige Harris at 4.00 per thousand shares.

SALES—Afternoon session: 3000 Lige Harris at 4.00 per thousand shares; 200 Florence at 4.65; 2000 Crown Point Globe at 7½; 1000 California Hills at 13¼.

SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

CHEAP SILVER CAUSES SLUMP.

MINERS ARE HIT HARD BY NEWSPAPER REPORT.

Tonopahs Sell Off and Many Stocks Make New Low Records—Bears Press Their Advantage on Northern Exchange—Rawhide Coalition Continues Its Steady Climb Up.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—All the Tonopahs sold off today on a story published in the San Francisco Chronicle this morning that on account of the low price of silver the mines of Tonopah would close down. From the best information obtainable this report is without foundation, although it is said that Tonopah Extension closed a week ago. The story was strong enough to make new low records on many of the Tonopahs on this present movement. Belmont closed 79@81, off 7 points from yesterday. Tonopah Extension closed at 41 bid, opening this morning offered at 45. Montana was 80 bid, offered at 81, closed last night offered at 89. West End was 35 bid, McNamara was off 4 points from the morning bid.

Goldfield Consolidated closed strong, 7.95@8.00, with sales at 8.00. The remainder of the Goldfield list closed weak. Florence is stationary around 4.60 to 4.62½. Daisy was weak at 85 bid. Combination Fraction closed unchanged at 1.37½ bid.

The Goldfield "cats" looked lower, and the properties without ore prospects or money are making new low prices every day.

The strike on the Nevada Hills property seems to be one of the most important made in the State for some time, opening at 2.00 bid, selling up to 2.50 and closing at 2.00 bid, a substantial gain over yesterday.

It seems that nothing can stop the upward movement in Rawhide Coalition. It sold at 1.25 today, a gain of 85 points in five weeks, and a gain of 12½ points over yesterday's closing bid.

The absence of eastern wires on account of storms accounted for the comparative quietness of the market, although it was steady for the leaders without the influence of eastern business.

Pittsburgh Silver Peak also showed the effect of the low price of silver, 80 cents being the best bid recorded. The following are the bid and asked prices with sales on the formal call.

	Bid.	Asked.	Sales.
Tonopah District—			
Belmont	$ .79	$ .81	1,300
Jim Butler	.16	.17	
Midway	....	.21	
McNamara	.36	.38	
Tonopah of Nevada	6.40	....	2,300
Tonopah Extension	.41	.43	
West End	.35	....	
North Star	....	.05	
Rescue Con.	.03	.04	
Montana	.80	.81	
Manhattan District—			
Manhattan Con.	.05	....	
Manhattan Dexter	.03	.05	
Mustang Mountain	.03	....	
Seyler Humphrey	.01	....	
Thanksgiving	.04	....	
Stray Dog	.04	....	
Goldfield District—			
Adams	.03	.04	
Atlanta	.19	.21	1,000
Booth	....	.26	1,000
Blue Bull	.12	.13	
Blue Bell	.04	.05	
Black Butte Ex.	.01	.02	
C. O. D.	.45	....	
Black Butte Bonanza	.01	.02	1,000
Columbia Mountain	.18	.19	
Conqueror	....	.05	
Combination Fraction	1.37½	1.40	500
Crackerjack	.05	.08	500
Daisy	.85	.86	1,500
Diamondfield Triangle	....	.05	
Diamondfield	.10	.11	1,500
Dixie	.01	.02	
Empire	....	.03	
Florence	4.62½	4.67½	700
Florence Ex.	.08	.11	4,500
Goldfield Con.	7.95	....	2,325
Goldfield Gold Bar	.20	.21	
Goldfield Kewanas	.27	.28	
Great Bend	.28	.30	
Great Bend Annex	.05	.07	
Grandma	.04	.05	500
Jumbo Extension	....	.26	
Kendall	.06	....	
Lone Star	.05	.07	
Lou Dillon	.01	....	
Milltown Fraction	.01	.02	2,000
Nevada Goldfield	.02	.04	
Oro	.12	.13	2,000
Potlach	....	.08	
Red Top Ex.	.05	.06	
Red Hills	.20	.21	500
Sandstorm	.20	....	
St. Ives	....	.25	
Silver Pick	.12	.13	
Yellow Rose	.01	....	
Yellow Tiger	.13	.15	
Bullfrog District—			
Bullfrog Mining	.01	.02	
Bullfrog Nat'l Bank	....	.05	
Bonnie Clare	....	.07	
Golden Scepter	.01	....	1,000
Gold Bar	....	.02	2,000
Lige Harris	....	.01	
Mont. Shos. Ex.	....	.01	
Mayflower Con.	.07	.08	300
Original Bullfrog	.01	.02	
Tramp Con.	....	.15	
Yankee Girl	....	.02	
Bullfrog Alliance	.00½	.01	
Other Districts—			
Fairview Eagle	....	.35	
Rawhide Queen	.70	....	
Nevada Hills	2.00	....	300
Pittsburgh Silver Peak	.80	.85	
Round Mountain	.38	....	
Coalition	....	1.25	5,600

COMSTOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.
[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Following were the opening and closing quotations in the leading Comstock mining stocks today:

Stock—	Open— Bid.	Asked.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
Ophir	1.60	1.62½	1.67½	1.72½
Mexican	.81	.82	.83	.85
Gould & Curry	....	.10	....	.10
Con. Virginia	.74	.75	.77	.78
Savage	.22	.23	.23	.24
Hale & Norcross	.38	.39	.36	.37
Yellow Jacket	.36	.36	.35	....
Belcher	.20	.21	.21	.22
Sierra Nevada	.23	.24	.23	.24
Exchequer	.26	.35	....	.35
Union	.19	.21	.19	.20
Chollar	.05	.07	.05	.07
Potosi	.12	....	.12	....

SHARES AND MONEY.

AGILE TRADERS TAKE PROFITS.

FLUCTUATION OF PRICES IS PUZZLING.

Market Shifts Rapidly up and Down and Dealers Able to Turn Deals Rapidly Reap Harvest—Close of Day Shows Little Change in the Quotations.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The constant fluctuation of prices in today's stock market made it puzzling to discern the prevailing tone of the speculation. The pressure to sell was much less pronounced than late yesterday. This fact formed the basis for some efforts to get prices to a high level, which as often were frustrated by the dying out of the demand as prices got higher. On the occasional declines there developed a sufficient demand to check the tendency, and rally prices. The constant change in the course of the price movement afforded a harvest for the traders, who were sufficiently agile to turn with the tide. Their profits, however, were largely at the expense of other traders less agile. The movements were almost wholly in the hands of professionals.

The money market showed a firmer tone which developed earlier in the week in connection with the settlements, the requisition in banking resources on account of new securities issued and the gold exports. Call loans advanced to 3 per cent. Government operations through the sub-treasury have taken from the banks since the last bank statement, $5,682,000, including a withdrawal of government deposits with the banks early in the week. Payment for the gold shipped to France today is not included in the withdrawals to date. The slight effect produced on the foreign exchange market by the gold shipment makes it evident that further shipments will be made. New bond issues continue to be announced and bankers report a large demand for their offerings, indicating the good appetite of capital for these investments.

There was selling here of stocks for foreign account in spite of the easier tone of the London discount market, based on the failure to advance the official discount rate of the Bank of England. Incoming reports of railroad net earnings for October indicate that the September rate of improvement was not fully maintained at that time, either in the gross or the net, the decrease in gross being larger and the increase in net by curtailment of operating expenses smaller than in the earlier comparisons. The latest returns of gross earnings for November also, although comparing with the period last year when the depression began to make itself felt, show no growth in the rate of increase over earlier periods.

The earlier movement to market of both grain and cotton is supposed to be responsible in part for the slowing down in the rates of imports. The lull in the iron trade and copper is of similar import and the low price of silver is an additional consideration bearing on the metal and mining stocks. United States Steel sold below 54 for the first time since the week of the national elections. No reason was given for the special strength shown by the Gould group, Great Northern, preferred, and a few others. In most cases last prices were but little changed from the day before.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $5,578,000. United States bonds unchanged on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Amalgamated Copper	18,600	84	83½	83¾
Am. Car & Foundry	2,300	46¾	46	46½
Am. C. & F. pfd.	100	108	108	107
American Cotton Oil	100	42⅝	42	42
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	....	....	....	78
Am. Ice Securities	600	26¼	25½	25¾
American Linseed	1,800	15¼	14⅝	15⅜
American Locomotive	400	55½	55¼	55¼
Am. Locomotive pfd.	....	....	....	109
Am. Smelting & Ref.	22,900	92¾	91¾	92
Am. S. & R. pfd.	100	106⅜	106⅜	106¼
Am. Sugar Refining	700	131½	130¾	131
Am. Tobacco pfd.	100	92⅝	92⅝	92½
American Woolen	600	30¾	30⅜	30½
Anaconda Mining Co.	2,700	49⅞	49¼	49½
Atchison	900	99	97⅞	98¼
Atchison pfd	800	102	101⅝	101⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	600	110½	109½	110
Baltimore & Ohio	11,400	108¼	106⅞	107⅞
B. & O. pfd.	....	....	....	92
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	3,800	55⅜	54⅞	55
Canadian Pacific	200	175½	175½	175¼
Central Leather	400	28¼	28	28
Central Leather pfd.	300	101	101	101
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	208
Chesapeake & Ohio	27,300	50⅝	48½	50½
Chicago Great Western	1,300	11	10⅝	10⅞
*Chicago & N. W.	600	174⅝	174	173½
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	25,600	150⅝	149	150½
C., C., C. & St. Louis	200	67	66⅝	65½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	1,300	37⅝	37½	37½
Colorado & Southern	7,300	52¼	49⅞	52⅛
Colo. & So. 1st pfd.	1,100	71⅛	70	70⅞
Colo. & So. 2nd pfd.	2,700	65	62⅝	64⅝
Consolidated Gas	9,500	164⅞	163⅝	164½
Corn Products	....	....	....	18⅝
Delaware & Hudson	300	175	175	175
Denver & Rio Grande	4,300	35½	34½	34½
D. & R. G. pfd.	1,000	78½	78	78¼
Distillers' Securities	100	34⅜	34⅜	34⅛
Erie	500	32⅝	32¼	32⅜
Erie 1st pfd.	800	47	46⅝	47¼
Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	....	37¼
*General Electric	1,900	160	158¾	159
Great Northern pfd.	6,800	142⅝	139	141⅞
Great North. Ore Ctfs.	6,300	74⅜	72	73½
Illinois Central	6,700	149	147¼	148½
Interborough-Met.	700	14½	14¼	14½
Interborough-Met. pfd.	400	35	34⅞	34⅝
International Paper	500	12	11⅝	11½
Int'l Paper pfd.	400	56	56	56
International Pump	900	30½	30⅛	30¼
Iowa Central	....	....	....	28½
Kansas City Southern	6,900	34¼	33¼	34
K. C. Southern pfd.	900	67	66	64⅞
Louisville & Nashville	600	121⅝	120½	121⅞
Minn. & St. Louis	100	47½	47½	46½
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	400	131⅝	130½	131¼
Missouri Pacific	11,400	66⅛	64	65
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	10,700	38⅛	37	38¼
M., K. & T. pfd.	1,100	71⅛	71	71¼
National Lead	2,800	82⅞	82¼	82⅜
New York Central	4,700	117⅛	116⅛	116⅝
N. Y., Ontario & W.	5,100	45⅞	45	45¼
Norfolk & Western	800	84	82	83⅝
North American	200	76	76	75½
Northern Pacific	21,500	142¼	140⅜	141⅝
Pacific Mail	5,400	38⅜	36¼	37⅜
Pennsylvania	1,700	128⅞	128⅝	128⅝
People's Gas	1,100	100½	100	100
P., C., C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	85½
Pressed Steel Car	100	38⅜	38⅜	38⅜
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	171
Railway Steel Spring	....	....	....	48
Reading	92,700	138¼	137⅛	137⅞
Republic Steel	600	26⅝	26¼	26¼
Republic Steel pfd.	....	....	....	88½
Rock Island Co.	14,200	25⅛	24⅝	24½
Rock Island Co. pfd.	33,300	61⅜	58⅝	60⅝
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd.	1,500	40½	39⅝	40
St. Louis, S. W.	700	22⅜	21½	21½
St. Louis, S. W. pfd.	700	53½	53	50½
Southern Pacific	29,100	118½	117	117⅞
Southern Pacific pfd.	1,000	121¾	121½	121¼
Southern Railway	7,900	25⅜	24¼	25¼
Southern Railway pfd.	3,300	58⅞	57⅝	58¼
Tennessee Copper	600	44⅜	44	44¼
Texas & Pacific	1,800	33½	33	33¼
Toledo, St. L. & W.	....	....	....	38⅞
T., St. L. & W. pfd.	600	62⅞	67⅝	61¼
Union Pacific	128,700	180⅜	178⅝	179⅞
Union Pacific pfd.	600	96½	95½	95
United States Rubber	400	34⅞	34¼	34¼
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.	100	107⅞	107⅞	106½
United States Steel	141,000	54⅝	53⅞	54⅛
U. S. Steel pfd.	1,800	112⅞	112⅜	112⅝
Utah Copper	600	48	47⅞	47⅞
Va. Carolina Chemical	400	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜
Va. Carolina Chem. pfd.	....	....	....	114
Wabash	1,300	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜
Wabash pfd.	20,700	37⅞	36	37½
Westinghouse Electric	3,000	88½	87½	88¼
Western Union	800	69	68⅜	68½
Wheeling & Lake Erie	2,100	11½	10½	11
Wisconsin Central	700	30⅜	30	30⅜

Total sales for day....876,700

*Exdividend.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—Closing prices:

Money—		Am. Pneu. Tube	5
Call loans	2@3½	Am. Sugar	131
Time loans	3½@4½	Am. Sugar pfd.	127½
Bonds—		Am. Tel. & Tel.	129
Atchison Adj. 4s	91	Am. Woolen	30
Atchison 4s	99¾	Am. Woolen pfd.	95½
Railroads—		Dom. I. & S.	21
Atchison	98¾	Ed. Electric Illu.	250
Atchison pfd.	101½	Gen. Electric	159
Boston & Albany	224	Mass. Electric	12
Boston & Maine	132	Mass. Elec. pfd.	59¼
Boston Elevated	129½	Mass. Gas	56¾
Fitchburg pfd.	132	United Fruit	130
Union Pacific	179¾	U. Shoe Mach.	59¼
Miscellaneous—		U. Shoe M. pfd.	29
Am. Arge. Chem.	31	U. S. Steel	54
A. A. Chem. pfd.	95	U. S. Steel pfd.	112¾

New York Bond Market.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers. Members New York Stock Exchange. No. 112 West Third street.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Following is the range of quotations today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Un. Rys. St. L. 4s	86	....
St. L. & S. F. Ref. 4s	83½	84
Nor. & W. Con. 4s	96½	....
Met. St. Ry. Ny. Ref. 4s	55	57
C. R. I. & P. 1st Ref. 4s	85¾	90¼
Interboro-Met. 4½s	74⅝	75¾
Atl. Coast (L. & N.) Col. 4s	83	86
Or. R. R. & Nav. 4s	101	104
O. S. L. Ref. Gold 4s	96⅝	97
Erie 1st Con. P. L. 4s	89	90
Central Pacific 1st 4s	98	98¾
Atl. Coast Line Con. 4s	95½	96
L. & N. Uni. 4s	101½	103
C., B. & Q. Joint 4s	99	99¾
Reading Gen. 4s	99⅝	100
C. & O. Gen. 4½s	104⅝	105

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Money on call firmer, 2@3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 1-4; closing bid, 2; offered at 3. Time loans somewhat firmer; 60 days, 3 3-4@3 per cent.; 90 days, 3; six months, 3½. Prime mercantile paper, 3 3-4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.65 for 60-day bills, and at 4.86.70 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84½. Bar silver, 48 1-4. Mexican dollars, 48. Government and railroad bonds steady.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $148,839,078; gold coin and bullion, $27,956,786; gold certificates, $53,358,300.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] California Stock and Oil Exchange closing quotations were as follows:

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	38.00	....
Brookshire	1.50	1.65
Caribou	....	13.00
Chicago Crude	....	....
Claremont	.08	....
Daisy	1.72	1.75
Esperanza	.30	....
Euclid	1.50	1.60
Fulton	.50	....
Globe	1.75	....
Graciosa	.12	....
Gypsy	....	.75
Illinois Crude	....	.29
Junction	....	.24
Kern	.70	.75
Linda Vista	.10	....
Midway of Oregon	.30	....
Monte Cristo	....	.11
Nevada County	1.75	1.90
Occidental	....	.50
Peerless	.25	....
Pinal	4.40	5.50
Royalty	....	10.00
Sauer Dough	1.50	....
Section Twenty-five	....	2.25
Shawmut	1.00	....
Sovereign	.33	....
S. W. & B.	.27	....
Sterling	.30	....
Sunset Monarch	4.70	6.00
Superior	....	1.00
Union	.30	....
Wabash	85.00	....
Wolverine	....	1.45
W. K. Oil	.25	....
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HUTTON'S WIRE DOWN.

Wire trouble on all direct wires east from Los Angeles and San Francisco prevented the receipt of the full market reports at E. F. Hutton & Co., closing quotations on the Boston copper market, Chicago grain and provision market, and several of the mining letters not being received. The trouble is expected to be over today.

Good Investments

I believe it prudent to make purchases of the following at current prices:
L. A. Edison 5 per cent. preferred, now selling at $85.00.
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Monday,	" 7	8:18 a.m.		2:00 a.m.	
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Tuesday,	" 8	8:51 a.m.		2:30 a.m.	
		10:38 p.m.		3:54 p.m.	
Wednesday,	" 9	9:24 a.m.		3:01 a.m.	
		11:25 p.m.		4:34 p.m.	
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				5:13 p.m.	
Friday,	" 11	0:15 a.m.		4:04 a.m.	
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From Marshfield comes the information that Peter Peterson, chief officer on the steamer Breakwater, will succeed W. B. Olsen, who has resigned command of the Alliance to take the steam-schooner Nan Smith, belonging to the C. A. Smith Lumber Company of Marshfield.

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The Merchants' Independent Company's steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarlane, arrived tonight from San Francisco with freight and passengers for the Crescent Wharf and Warehouse Company.

The schooner Omega has sailed from Coos Bay for San Pedro, carrying 700,000 feet of lumber.

The rainfall of yesterday's storm amounted to .88 of an inch.

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SAILED.

The above sloops for the fishing banks.

Notes.

The steamer Lakme came over today from San Pedro with a part cargo of 150,000 feet of lumber consigned to Ganahl & Co.

The tank barge Roderick Dhu arrived last night from San Francisco in tow of the tug Navigator. After taking on 27,000 barrels of crude oil consigned to the Amalgamated Oil Company at San Francisco, she sailed this afternoon for return.

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GENERAL EASTERN.

TRADE DRAGS IN WHEAT MARKET.

PIT LACKS BULLISH ENTHUSIASM OF PREVIOUS DAY.

Upturn Late in Day Due Chiefly to Covering by Shorts—Unresponsive Tone of European Grain Market One of Main Weakening Influences. Weather Bearish.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—The wheat market today lacked the bullish enthusiasm which had been manifested the two previous sessions, and the trade during the greater part of the day was inclined to drag. The high point for the May option was registered a short time prior to the close and again on final transactions was noted. At the same time, the July delivery equaled the high mark set yesterday, but the December delivery failed to reach by an eighth of a cent yesterday's record of 1.06. There was no evidence today of any support from the leading bulls, but on the contrary it was claimed that the big holders were moderate sellers here and in the Northwest. The upturn late in the day was due chiefly to covering by shorts. The unresponsive tone of European grain markets was one of the main weakening influences, prices in nearly all of these markets being lower, with Liverpool showing a decline of ⅝d. An official prediction of rain or snow for a large part of the winter wheat belt in this country was another bearish factor. The principal bullish influence was the decreased movement in the Northwest.

Corn was weak early, but decided strength developed later. Final quotations on December were 63⅛, and May, 63⅛@63¼.

Oats closed stronger at the highest point of the day, with prices up ⅛@¼c. December closed at 49⅛, and May at 52⅛@52¼.

Provisions were dull and weak. Prices at the close were 7½@10c to 12½c lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.07@1.10; No. 3, 98@1.07; No. 2 red, 1.05@1.06⅝; No. 2 corn, 62@63¾; No. 2 yellow, 63@63¾; No. 2 oats, 49½; No. 2 white, 51; No. 3 white, 48½@51; No. 2 rye, 73½@74; good feeding barley, 59; fair to choice malting, 61@64½; No. 1 northwestern flaxseed, 1.44; prime timothy seed, 3.85; clover, contract grades, 9.30; short ribs, sides (loose,) 8.12½@8.50; mess pork, per bbl., 14.50@14.62½; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.17½; short clear sides (boxed,) 8.75@9.00.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	415,000	242,000
Wheat, bushels	66,000	7,500
Corn, "	212,400	473,900
Oats, "	171,000	31,400
Rye, "	6,000	......
Barley, "	67,000	21,900

Chicago Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 22@30; dairy, 21@25; eggs, firm at mark, cases included, 24@27; firsts, 30; prime firsts, 31; cheese, steady, 13¾@15.

Grain and Provisions.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Members New York Stock Exchange, No. 112 West Third street.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Following is range of quotations today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	109¼	110⅝	109¼	110⅝
July	103⅛	103⅞	102⅞	103⅞
Corn—				
May	62⅝	63⅛	62½	63¼
Oats—				
May	51⅝	52⅛	51½	52¼
Pork—				
January	16.07	16.10	15.95	15.95

New York Cotton Market.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Members New York Stock Exchange, No. 112 West Third street.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The feeling here this morning was very bullish. The buying all day yesterday was first-class. The New York Commercial is out with a report on the crop. They estimate it at 12,618,000 bales, and say further that it is a record breaking year for rapid picking, ginning and marketing the crop. The spot people here continue to buy on a free scale. There is no profit on the short side of the market. Would buy on every 5 points break, however.

Liverpool opened 4 to 4½ higher this morning, which was all that could be expected, probably a little better than due. The foreign market is watching the value of silver closely, which is the medium of exchange between England and her colonies and the recent decline in silver there, has prevented the English market assuming a leadership in advance. The shrinking tendency of the movement is causing some nervousness, but the aggregate amount in sight December 1, was a record breaker, being 6,229,083 bales.

Following is range of quotations today:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	8.96	8.98	8.96	8.97
March	8.93	8.95	8.93	8.92
May	8.99	9.02	8.97	8.97
July	8.95	8.98	8.94	8.95
October	8.67	8.67	8.67	8.67
December	9.28	9.30	9.24	9.24

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The market for evaporated apples was easy in tone and offers for December delivery of prime fruit are reported around 6¾. Fancy are quoted at 8½ on spot; choice, 7¾@7⅞; prime, 6¾@7, and old crop fruit, 4@6, according to quality. Prunes are arriving more freely, but there appears to be no accumulation, and the market was firm, with quotations ranging from 4 to 7½ for California up to 30-40s and from 6¼ to 7½ for Oregon, 30-50s. Apricots are in light supply, with choice quoted at 9¾; extra choice at 10@10¼, and fancy, at 11@11½. Peaches are quiet, with choice quoted at 7@7¼; extra choice, 7¾@8, and fancy, 8¼@11. Raisins are firm, although no improvement is reported in demand. Muscatels are quoted at 5¼@6¾; choice to fancy seeded, 6@8; seedless, 4½@6; London layers, 1.50@1.60.

New York Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The London tin market was 5s higher, with spot quoted at £134 and futures at £136. The local market was quiet, at 29.37½@29.62½. Copper was unchanged, at £62 for spot in the London market, but futures were a shade lower, at £62 18s 9d. The local market was dull, with lake quoted at 14.37½@14.50; electrolytic at 14.12½@14.25, and casting at 14.00@14.12½. Lead was higher, at £13 3d in London. Locally, the market was dull, at 4.25@4.30. Spelter was unchanged, at £21 5s in London, and at 5.10@5.15 in New York. The English iron market was lower, with standard foundry quoted at 47s 7d, and Cleveland warrants at 48s 7½d. Locally, the market was unchanged.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Cattle, receipts about 9000; market steady to 10c lower; beeves, 3.50@7.80; Texans, 3.60@4.40; westerns, 3.40@5.75; stockers and feeders, 2.70@4.75; cows and heifers, 1.60@5.10; calves, 5.00@7.00. Hogs, receipts about 40,000; market 5@10c lower; light, 5.10@5.80; mixed, 5.35@6.00; heavy, 5.40@6.00; rough, 5.40@5.55; good to choice heavy, 5.55@6.00; pigs, 3.75@4.85; bulk of sales, 5.60@5.75. Sheep, receipts about 18,000; market steady to 10c lower; natives, 2.50@6.80; westerns, 2.75@4.80; yearlings, 4.20@5.00; lambs, 4.60@6.75; westerns, 4.00@4.75.

London Wool Market.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—A good selection of 14,341 bales was offered at the wool auctions sales today. Buyers from all sections eagerly competed for all grades. Home traders secured the bulk of cross-breds and greasy Merinos and continental buyers took most of the scoured offered. Americans paid 15 per cent. advance over the last series for Merinos, and medium cross-breds. The sales have been extended one day and will close December 11.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Members New York Stock Exchange, No. 112 West Third street.]

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 3.—Spot cotton was quiet with prices steady at 5.02 for American middlings. Sales were estimated at 6000 bales, of which 360 were for speculation and export. Receipts were estimated at 27,000 bales of which 17,300 were American. Futures opened steady, and closed 3 to 3½ points higher, with spots 4 higher at the close.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Close, wheat, December, 1.05 5-8; May, 1.10 5-8; July, 1.03 5-8@1.03 3-4. Corn, December, 61 3-4; May, 63 1-8@63 1-4; July, 62 3-4; September, 62 5-8. Oats, December, 49¼; May, 52 1-8@52 1-4; July, 47 3-8. Rye, cash, 76; December, 73¼; May, 79 1-4. Barley, cash, 59@64½. Timothy, December, 3.85; March, 3.95. Clover, December, 9.30; March, 9.60.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Cotton futures opened steady at an advance of 3@6 points, and closed barely steady, unchanged to 5 points lower. Close: December, 9.20; January, 8.91; February, 8.87; March and April, 8.89; May, 8.93; June and July, 8.87; August, 8.78; October, 8.58. Spot, quiet; middling uplands, 9.35; middling gulf, 9.60; sales, 1600 bales.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Wheat firm; no trading; cash, 1.62½@1.67½. Barley steady; May, 1.47⅛@1.47⅝; December, 1.43 asked; cash, 1.42½@1.45. Corn steady; large yellow, 1.75@1.85. Wheat firm; no trading. Barley steady; May, 1.47⅝ asked; 1.41½ bid; December, 1.42.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Coffee—Futures closed steady, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 40,500 bags, including December, 5.05@5.10; January, 5.10; March, 5.20; May, 5.25; September, 5.30@5.35; spot, quiet; No. 7, Rio, 6¾; No. 4, Santos, quiet; mild, dull; Cordova, 9½@12½.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Wheat—Spot irregular; options net ¼ to ⅛ lower. December closed at 1.14⅜; May at 1.16. Hops, wool, petroleum and hides steady. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.43; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92; molasses sugar, 3.17; refined, quiet.

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Wednesday, December 2, 36 cars; 22 cars oranges; 14 cars lemons. Total shipments to date this season, 515 cars; 139 cars oranges; 376 cars lemons. Total to same date last season, 951 cars; 564 cars oranges; 387 cars lemons.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Butter, steady; creamery, thirds to firsts, 22@29; held creamery, common to special, 22@29; state dairy, common to special, 21@29. Cheese and eggs firm, unchanged.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—Wool firm; medium grades, combing and clothing, 17@22; light fine, 16@17; heavy fine, 12@14; tub washed, 20@29.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 3.—Wheat, track prices, club, 90; blue stem, 96; Turkey red, 93; red Russian, 88; valley, 92.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 3.—Close, wheat, December, 8s; March, 7s, 9 1-4d; May, 7s, 8 3-8d. Weather cold.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.10; common, 40.

Berries—Strawberries, 5.00@7.00; cranberries, 8.50@15.00.

Pears—Common, 50; fancy, 1.25.

Persimmons, 50@1.00.

Oranges—Navels, 1.50@2.00; Valencia, 1.50@2.00; Mexican limes, 4.00@5.00.

Lemons—Common California, 1.00@1.50; good to choice, 1.75@2.50; fancy, 2.50@3.25.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.00; pineapples, 2.00@4.00.

Beans—Pink, 2.40@2.60; lima, 4.35@4.40; small white, 4.25@4.65; large white, 3.65@3.85.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.15@1.25; Salinas Burbanks, 1.25@1.55; Merced Sweets, 1.25@1.50.

Various—Green peas, 5@8; string beans, 6@8; green peppers, 5@10; tomatoes, 50@1.00; summer squash, 65@1.00; garlic, 7@8.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 35; seconds, 29½; fancy dairy, 25; seconds, 20.

Cheese—New, 14@15½; eastern, 17; Young America, 16@17½.

Eggs—Ranch, 49; store, 45; eastern, 30.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@6.00; bakers' extras, 5.40@5.65; Oregon and Washington, 4.90@5.40.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.62½@1.67½; milling, 1.67½@1.72½.

Barley—Feed, 1.42½@1.45; brewing, 1.50@1.52½; Chevalier, 1.55@1.60.

Oats—Red, 1.57½@2.10; white, 1.65@1.80; black, 2.25@2.60.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 33.50@35.50; mixed feed, 28.00@32.00; rolled barley, 30.00@31.00; oatmeal, 4.30@4.50; oat groats, 4.30@4.50; rolled oats, 33.00@34.50.

Hay—Wheat, 18.00@22.00; wheat and oat, 17.00@21.00; oat, wild, 15.00@18.00; oat, tame, 16.00@19.00; alfalfa, 11.00@15.00; straw, 60@90.

Receipts—Flour, 6710; wheat, 340; barley, 67; oats, 195; beans, 180; corn, 5155; onions, 3670; bran, 20; middlings, 2571; hay, 258; straw, 29; hides, 290; wine, 22,800.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Butter, fancy creamery, 35; do., seconds, 29½; fancy dairy, 25; do., seconds, 20; pickled, 23½. Eggs, store, 45; fancy ranch, 49; eastern, 30. Cheese, new, 14@15½; Young America, 16@17½; eastern, 17.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Silver bars, 49¼; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, par; drafts, telegraph, 2½.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING.

STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The feature of the day was heavy demand for California Gas and Electric 5s, no less than 40,000 shares being sold at from 89.00 to 89.50. The Stock and Bond Exchange closing quotations follow:

Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co. 5s	85½	86½
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	103½	.....
Cal. Central G. & E. 5s	101	.....
Cal. G. & E. G. M. & C. T. 5s	89	89½
Cal. Street Cable Co. 5s	102¾	.....
Cal. Wine Assn. 5s	82½	.....
Contra Costa Water Co. 5s	99	.....
Contra Costa Gen. Mtg. 5s	90¼	.....
Edison Elec. Co. of L. A. 5s	100½	102
Edison Light & P. 6s	108½	.....
Ferries & C. H. Ry. 6s	103	.....
Hawaiian Com'l & S. 5s	104½	105
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co. 6s	104	105¾
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 5s	99	.....
Los Angeles Elec. Co. 5s	100	.....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	92	.....
L. A. Railway 5s	107½	.....
L. A. Lighting Gd. 5s	97½	100
L. A. P. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	104	.....
L. A. P. Ry. of Cal. 5s	103	.....
Market St. Cable 6s	108	.....
Mkt. St. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	104½	105
Northern Ry. Co. of Cal. 5s	114½	115¼
North Pacific Coast Ry. 5s	102	.....
Northern Cal. Ry. 5s	103	.....
Northern Cal. P. Co. 5s	92⅝	93½
Oakland Gas L. & H. 5s	103	.....
Oakland Transit Co. 6s	.....	114
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	103½	.....
Oakland Transit Con. 5s	103½	.....
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	93	.....
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	.....	92
Oakland Water Co. Gtd. 5s	92½	94
Omnibus Cable Ry. 6s	109	.....
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	84	.....
Pacific Elec. Ry. Co. 5s	105¼	106
Pac. L. & P. Co. 5s	91	.....
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	96½	97½
Park & Cliff House Ry. 6s	101	.....
Park & Ocean Ry. 6s	101	.....
Powell St. Ry. 6s	101	.....
Sac. Elec. Gas & Ry. 5s	100	.....
S. F. & S. J. Val. Ry. 5s	114	115½
S. F., O. & S. J. Ry. 5s	103¾	104
S. F., O. & S. J. Ry. 2d M. 5s	93	.....
Sierra Ry. of Cal. 6s	106	.....
S.P.R.R. of Ariz. 6s, 1909	102¾	102⅞
S.P.R.R. of Ariz. 6s, 1910	102⅛	.....
S.P.R.R. of Cal. 6s, 1912	108⅛	.....
S.P.R.R. of C. 1st C. Gtd. 5s	112¾	.....
S. P. Branch Ry. of Cal. 6s	128	.....
S.P.R.R. Co. 1st Refg. 4s	95¾	.....
S. V. Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s	84½	85
Stockton G. & E. Co. 6s	100	.....
United G. & E. Co. 5s	95⅝	.....
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	72⅝	72⅞
Valley Counties Power Co. 5s	96	.....
Water Stocks—		
Marin County	50	.....
Spring Valley Water Co.	30⅝	31
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Mutual Elec. Light Co. ctfs.	4⅞	.....
Pacific Lighting Corp. com.	14½	.....
Stockton Gas & E. Co.	52	.....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	137½	140
Bank Stocks—		
American National Bank	128	.....
Anglo-Cal. Ltd. ($50 paid)	76	.....
Bank of California	354½	360
First Nat'l Bank of S. F.	218	.....
London-Paris National Bank	130	138
Mercantile Trust Co.	205	245
S. F. National Bank	.....	130
Union Trust Co.	2400	.....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	.....	3200
Humboldt Savings Bank	.....	155
Mutual Savings Bank	.....	75
S. F. Savings Union	545	580
Savings & Loan Society	.....	135
Security Savings Bank	330	.....
Street Railroads—		
California	115	.....
Presidio	19	.....
Powder Stocks—		
Giant Consolidated Co.	73½	76
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar	97½	98½
Honokaa Sugar Co.	13⅝	14
Hutchinson S. P. Co.	17½	18¼
Makaweli Sugar Co.	32⅝	33¼
Onomea Sugar Co.	37¼	38¼
Paauhau S. P. Co.	19⅝	20½
Union Sugar Co.	44	46½
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Ass'n	56⅝	.....
Associated Oil Co.	38⅛	38¼
Cal. Fruit Canners' Ass'n	100⅝	102
Cal. Wine Ass'n	47	50
M. V. & Mt. Tam. S. Ry.	.....	115
Pacific Aux. Fire Alarm	3¼	.....
Pacific Coast Borax Co.	150	.....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd	81	83
Pacific Tel. & Tel. com	13⅝	.....

EX-DIVIDEND—Giant Powder, 50c.

SALES—Morning session: 150 Associated Oil Co. at 38.12½; 29,000 Cal. Gas & Elec. G. M. & C. T. 5s at 89.00@89.50; 1000 Northern Cal. Ry. 5s at 103.00.

SALES—Afternoon session: 100 Alaska Packers' Association at 57.00; 6 Bank of California at 355.00; 11,000 Cal. Gas & Elec. G. M. & C. T. 5s at 89.25@89.50; 4000 Northern Cal. Power 5s at 93.00; 5000 S. P. R. R. of Arizona 6s of 1909 at 102.62½; 1000 U. R. R. of S. F. 4s at 72.62½.

WEALTHY WIDOW BUYS.

Will Build on West Adams Street. Haddock Ranch South of City Sold. Purchase on Berkeley Square.

The northwest corner of Western avenue and West Adams street, 200x225 feet, has been sold to Mrs. E. M. Neustadt by the Los Angeles Trust Company, for a consideration of $20,000. The lot is one of the handsomest vacant building sites in the beautiful West Adams section. The new owner will improve with a modern residence, costing about $30,000. Retaining walls, drives and parking the lot will bring the cost of improvements up to about $40,000. The agent in the transaction was J. T. Cooper, a young real estate man, who has just opened offices, after having been connected with one of the leading firms for a year or more.

Herbert & Butterworth have sold to Charles O. Goodwin twenty-five acres on the south side of Manchester avenue, about 600 feet east of Main street, for a consideration of $22,000. The property is known as the Haddock ranch. There is an old two-story frame dwelling, and other minor improvements on the property. The buyer will hold, and subdivide later. It adjoins the city limits on the south.

Harry P. Taylor, a wealthy mine owner of Goldfield, Nev., has purchased 100 feet on the corner of Western avenue and Berkeley Square, from William R. Burke, for a consideration of $12,500. The buyer will improve with a handsome home.

Catarrh Positively Cured

IN THREE DAYS TO THREE MONTHS—HAY FEVER CURED TO STAY CURED IN ONE WEEK—COLD IN HEAD CURED IN FROM ONE TO THREE APPLICATIONS.

The Coupon below is worth 50c toward the purchase of a $1.00 box of ORMSBY NASAL DOUCHE TABLETS, containing enough tablets for 25 treatments together with a glass nasal douche.

We are distributing 10,000 of these coupons to convince sufferers of CATARRH, HAY FEVER and COLD in the head that the ORMSBY NASAL DOUCHE TABLETS are, without doubt, the most wonderful remedy known to medical science for the IMMEDIATE RELIEF and the POSITIVE CURE of CATARRH, HAY FEVER, WEAK and SORE THROAT and COLD IN THE HEAD.

We are NOT offering a FREE sample for the simple reason that there are many people who are looking for something for nothing and who always have plenty of time and idle curiosity and who would call or write for our free sample, and as it cost them nothing and cost us considerable, we desire placing a trial box only in the hands of persons who really need it and will use it faithfully.

Our offer is a BONA FIDE ONE and the coupon is worth 50c and is only offered as an inducement to secure trial users of the tablets.

This Coupon when filled out with name and address is worth 50c toward the purchase of a $1.00 box of Ormsby Nasal Douche Tablets containing glass nasal douche and 25 treatments.

By mail, enclose 4c postage.
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NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE UNION MUTUAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

All stockholders of the said association are hereby notified to prepare and file with the undersigned receiver of the said Union Mutual Building and Loan Association verified claims, showing all amounts paid to said association by them, and all amounts withdrawn by them, and all amounts due by them to said association. Said verified claims will be passed upon by the Receiver and presented by him to the Superior Court for approval. Upon such approval a dividend of 20 per cent. upon such claims will be paid by the Receiver upon presentation of the pass books and certificates of stock of the stockholders of said association. If such stockholders are found to be owing said association, the Receiver will deduct from the dividend to be paid on each claim the amount due the association by the owner of the claim.

Blank forms for making the above mentioned verified claims can be had at the office of John M. York, attorney for the undersigned Receiver, Room 528, Mason Building, corner Fourth and Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

GEORGE MASON, Receiver.

Dated November 30, 1908.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Southern California Masonic Home Association will be held at the Masonic Temple, corner Pico and Figueroa streets, at 7:30 p. m. Monday, December 14, 1908.

S. A. BUTLER, Secy.

Steamships.

North-German Lloyd

Fast Express Service

PLYMOUTH—CHERBOURG—BREMEN—10 am
Kaiser Wm. II..Dec. 8|Kronprinz Wm..Jan. 19
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BREMEN DIRECT—10 A. M.
Main ....Dec. 10|Scharnhorst......Dec. 24
*F. Fried. Wm. Dec. 17|Gneisenau ......Dec. 31
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Mediterranean Service

GIBRALTAR—NAPLES—GENOA, AT 11 A.M.
P. Irene ....Dec. 9|K. Luise ....Jan. 16
Barbarossa ......Jan. 4|K. Albert ......Jan. 30

North German Lloyd Travelers' Checks

Oelrich & Co., No. 5 B'dw'y, New York

Robert Capelle, 250 Powell st., San Francisco, Cal., or Hugh B. Rice Co., 609 S. Spring st., Lehman's S.S. Agency, 248 Spring st., Los Angeles, Cal.

Clearinghouse Banks.

NAME.	OFFICERS.	
COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK, 401 S. Spring, corner 4th.	W. A. Bonynge, Pres. Newman Essick, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000; Surplus and Profits ... $25,000
FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK, Cor. Fourth and Main.	I. W. Hellman, Pres. Chas. Seyler, Cashier.	Capital ... $1,500,000; Surplus and Profits . $1,500,000
FIRST NATIONAL BANK, S. E. Cor. Second and Spring.	J. M. Elliott, Pres. W. T. S. Hammond, Cashier.	Capital $1,250,000; Surplus and Profits . $1,450,000
MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK, S. E. Cor. Third and Spring.	W. H. Holliday, Pres. Marco H. Hellman, Cashier.	Capital .. $200,000; Surplus and Profits . $500,000
NATIONAL BANK OF CALIFORNIA, N. E. Cor. Fourth and Spring.	J. E. Fishburn, Pres. G. W. Fishburn, Cashier.	Capital .. $500,000; Surplus and Profits .. $130,000
AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK, S. W. Cor. Second and Broadway.	W. F. Botsford, Pres. Wm. W. Woods, Cashier.	Capital .. $1,000,000; Surplus and Profits .. $175,000
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK, Fourth and Broadway.	George Mason, Pres. J. B. Gist, Cashier.	Capital ... $300,000; Surplus and Profits .. $200,000
CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, S. W. Cor. Third and Main.	R. J. Waters, Pres. A. J. Waters, Cashier	Capital .. $300,000; Surplus and Profits .. $375,000
BROADWAY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, 208-10 S. Bdwy., Bradbury Bldg.	Warren Gillelen, President. R. W. Kenny, Cashier	Capital ... $250,000; Surplus and Profits .. $191,000
THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK, Cor. Main and Commercial Sts.	Isaias W. Hellman, President. F. W. Smith, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000; Surplus and profits .. $60,000
THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, N. E. Cor. 2nd and Main Sts.	F. M. Douglas, Pres. Chas. Ewing, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000; Surplus and profits .. $25,000

Savings Banks.

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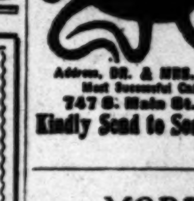

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Los Angeles Girls.

In Chicago and St. Louis yesterday two Los Angeles girls were lost to this city. In the Windy City a marriage license was issued for Alfred Kelly of St. Louis and Cora Clark of this city. In St. Louis one was issued for the marriage of Charles B. Higginson of Goldfield, Nev., and Violet Blackburn of Los Angeles.

A Mean Thief.

When Emma Campbell, daughter of Maj. W. E. Campbell of the Salvation Army, who lives at No. 828 West Thirty-seventh street, fainted at Eighth and Main streets, yesterday afternoon, a thief stole her purse, which contained 50 cents. She was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where she was attended. The theft was not discovered until Maj. Campbell went to take her home.

Will Pay Under Protest.

There will be no hearing at San Francisco tomorrow in the matter of the proposed increased express rates, owing to the non-arrival of Franklin K. Lane of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Wells-Fargo & Co. will put in effect its new rate schedule the 10th inst. The increased rates will be paid by shippers under protest, and the entire controversy will be gone into upon the arrival of Commissioner Lane.

Friendly Land Contest.

A friendly contested land suit is in progress in the local Land Office, between the American Borax Company and the Southern Pacific Company. The controversy is over the title to a square mile of land near Barstow. The American Borax Company asserts that it being mineral land, the railroad company had no right to patent. Attorney Byron Waters of San Bernardino represents the contestant and Attorneys J. W. McKinley and D. C. McGarvin the railroad.

Prevention of Cruelty.

The November report of the Los Angeles Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals shows: Complaints received, 105; cases investigated, 170; animals examined, 206; relieved, 44; destroyed, 55, including: horses, 27; mules, 1; cows, 1; dogs, 16; cats, 10; animals suspended from labor, 50; horses 40; mules, 10; animals transported in ambulance, 8; warnings and reprimands, 20; arrests, 20; convictions, 18; acquittals, 1; cases pending, 1; trials of previous arrests, 3; dismissals, 2; acquittals, 1.

For Young Offenders.

A conference of the directors of the Juvenile Court Improvement Association was held in Judge Wilbur's chambers yesterday afternoon, Misses Bixby, Stoddart and Michaelson, and Leonard Merrill, Judge Wilbur and Superintendent Lickley of the parental school being present. The meeting was for the purpose of discussing methods and means of organizing the juvenile work in connection with the parental school, which has been rented by the county for the use of children who pass through the Juvenile Court. Various measures and means were discussed, but final action was not decided upon.

Dorr Case Point Undecided.

Arguments were made before Lynn Helm, referee in bankruptcy, yesterday, in the Fred Dorr case. In behalf of the broker, Attorney Van Pelt claimed that it was manifestly unjust to charge him with the market value of the stocks, at the time of the filing of the bankruptcy petition. He asserted that the value should be based on the actual quotations on the day that Dorr suspended on the New York Stock Exchange. Because of a rise in the market, following the suspension, the creditors are attempting to make the estate pay them the difference, which amounts to nearly $70,000. Referee Helm made no decision.

Would Dredge Long Channel.

The Salt Lake Railroad and the Consolidated Lumber Company have filed an application with Capt. Fries for permission to dredge a channel in the inner harbor at San Pedro. The proposed channel is to be 2321 feet long, and the dredged material is to be deposited on the adjacent land. The purpose of the channel is to enable lumber schooners to reach the yards of the lumber company, located on the inner harbor. A map showing the location of the proposed channel is now on file in the government engineer's office. Objections can be filed in writing prior ot the 11th inst.

Postal Growth.

The sale of postage stamps in November at the Los Angeles postoffice amounted to $84,558.78, as compared with $81,397.18 for the corresponding month of last year, a gain of $3161.60. The number of pieces of misdirected mail reaching the local office during the month was 388,397. The correct address of 21,950 pieces was found for mail directed outside the city. Misdirected city mail, totaling 155,949 pieces, was delivered by carrier, and 200,449 pieces were sent to the general delivery department. The number of callers at the general delivery window during November was 111,948, exclusive of Sundays. During the month 12,964 changes of address were noted.

BREVITIES.

Remember the slogan: "Buy and Boost Home Products." For daily reference, see page 8 part II of The Times, containing list of wide-awake manufacturers, under the heading "Made in Southern California." You will find there are manufacturers of necessities and luxuries here—manufacturers of things to eat and drink—things for the home, the factory, the office and the farm. Buy them! Try them! There are none better. Buy and Boost, and keep your money at home where it will do you and yours the most good!

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Arrius having died, freed from the restraint imposed upon him by his adopted father, Ben-Hur seeks Simonides, his dead father's steward, in the city of Antioch, hoping to learn from him the fate of his mother and Tirzah. Simonides questions him as to what followed his seizure in Jerusalem, and Ben-Hur, after relating his experiences as a galley slave, ending with the story of the shipwreck and the rescue of Arrius, who adopted him, continued: "From that night I was no longer a slave except to the kindness of Arrius, who adopted me as his son. Hence the Roman garb in which thou seest me. Nothing did he deny me, save the one thing my heart most hungered for—leave to search for my people."

When we first saw Simonides, he was a strong man, in the full vigor of life; now he is a cripple, distorted by the tortures of Gratus, who, after his recovery from the accident of the falling tile, sought to force Simonides to give up the vast fortune of the Hur family in his keeping as the steward and confidential slave of the dead Prince Ithamar of Hur. Great is the wealth of the crafty merchant, but of all his treasures his daughter, Esther, is the dearest, and jealously he has guarded her from the eyes of men. Ben-Hur is charmed by the youthful beauty and filial devotion of the Jewish maid, and Esther admires the manly vigor and high resolves of the long-absent Prince of Hur.

Simonides refuses to acknowledge Ben-Hur, although secretly he believes his story. To test Ben-Hur, Simonides mentions that Messala is to compete in the forthcoming chariot races in the Circus of Antioch. Ben-Hur is in a rage on the instant, and demands to know where Messala can be found. He is told that Messala is training his steeds in the Grove of Daphne, and, as he rushes away, Simonides sends Malluch, a faithful servitor, to follow him and watch the meeting. If Messala recognizes Ben-Hur, then he is really the son of Ithamar, Prince of Hur, and heir to the great property which Simonides holds.

VITAL RECORD } BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

SIMPKINS. To the wife of George Simpkins, December 1, a daughter.

Deaths.

WHEELER. In this city, December 1, Samuel W., 68 years, beloved husband of Mary J. Funeral Friday at 2 p.m., from late residence, 426 West Forty-second street, under the auspices of Court Monrovia, No. 352, I.O.F. Interment, Inglewood Park.

LAFFERTY. The funeral of the late Chrissie Lafferty, will take place this afternoon, December 4 at 1:30 o'clock, from the Christian Church, corner Avenue 54 and Monte Vista.

MAC VEAN. Died at Alameda, Cal., Dec. 2, 1908, Mrs. Celia Lindley Mac Vean, sister of Samuel K. Lindley, John H. Lindley, Mrs. George Wilson King and Mrs. James Miles Moore of Los Angeles.

O'LAVERTY. At her residence, No. 546 S. Pecan st., Dec. 2, 1908, Nora, beloved mother of Philip K. Moore and sister of Mrs. Kate Brophy, aged 54 years. Native of Ireland. Funeral Saturday, Dec. 5, at 8:45 a.m. from Cussen & Co., undertaking parlors, 1122 S. Flower st., thence to St. Mary's Church, where mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friends invited.

BURKHALTER. At Sacramento, Dec. 2, 1908, Dennis Burkhalter, of 209 Scarff st. this city. Funeral services will be held at the residence, Saturday at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment Hollywood.

YOUNG. Suddenly, in San Francisco, November 30, Adolph Royal, beloved son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Young of El Monte, Cal., a native of Massachusetts, aged 23 years. Funeral Saturday, December 5, at 2 p.m., from the parlors of Booth & Boylston, No. 1147 South Flower street. Friends invited.

HOYT. On December 2, at Charter Oak, Mrs. M. A. Hoyt. Funeral Friday, December 4, at 1:30 p.m., at residence of B. M. Given, Covina.

HILL. December 3, 1908, Flora Newmark Hill, wife of Walter F. Hill, daughter of Mrs. Emily Folks, and sister of Joseph, Jacob and Leon Folks and Mrs. Tillie Meyerstein. Funeral strictly private. Cremation at Rosedale.

Marriages.

WRIGHT-WARD. Robert E. Wright, aged 20, a native of Kansas, and Mable G. Ward, aged 20, a native of Iowa; both residents of Long Beach.

SAWYER-FELIX. Joseph R. Sawyer, aged 24, a native of California, and a resident of San Bernardino, and Jessie M. Felix, aged 21, a native of California, and a resident of Los Angeles.

ORIN-HINSHAW. Arthur E. Orin, aged 23, a native of Iowa, and Ethel E. Hinshaw, aged 25, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

TERMUOLO-DIRNEGLIR. Giro Termuolo, aged 29, a native of Italy, and Francisco Dirneglir, aged 25, a native of Italy; both residents of San Pedro.

FREDGREN-LARSON. Arthur Fredgren, aged 26, a native of Minnesota, and Caroline Larson, aged 25, a native of Sweden; both residents of Los Angeles.

INGERSOLL-SEYMOUR. Frank Ingersoll, aged 31, a native of Iowa, and Myrtle O. Seymour, aged 31, a native of Wisconsin; both residents of Los Angeles.

ROBERTS-TUCKER. Frank W. Roberts, aged 32, a native of Iowa, and Ethel A. Tucker, aged 29, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

RAIZA-RUIZ. Cilbedre Raiza, aged 20, a native of Mexico, and a resident of Los Alamitos, and Flora Ruiz, aged 18, a native of California, and a resident of Hynes.

MYERS-PETERS. Courtland L. Myers, aged 30, a native of Ohio, and Marie L. Peters, aged 24, a native of Nevada; both residents of San Pedro.

MARCHAND-HANLEY. Edgar Poe Marchand, aged 25, a native of Ohio, and Mary Ellen Hanley, aged 29, a native of Nevada; both residents of Los Angeles.

CARLSON-JACOBSON. Severt Carlson, aged 26, a native of Sweden, and Selma Jacobson, aged 29, a native of Sweden; both residents of Los Angeles.

M'KAY-CLEMONS. Sam R. McKay, aged 21, a native of Montana, and Kate Clemons, aged 18, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Divorce.

SUITS. Mary Johnston against John Johnston; Marie G. Lanz against John S. Lanz; Effie I. Bouriand against D. L. Bouriand; Lena M. Minnis against R. E. Minnis; Clara Garnis against Grover W. Garnis.

DECREES. Hattie M. Miller against J. A. Miller.

OFFICERS and members of Paloma Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F., are requested to meet at the St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, near Fifth and Olive streets, at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, to attend the funeral of Sister Elizabeth Ashman.

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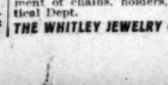

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TREMENDOUS.

CRAFT THRONG BUSY HARBOR.

Fleets of Great Ships Pass Deadman's Island.

All Records Are Broken for Lumber Receipts.

Splendid Scene of Activity at City's Gates.

Tremendous is the volume of the lumber business now transacted at San Pedro, this city's port. During the past week the receipts have smashed all previous Pacific Coast records. Since the morning of Thanksgiving Day thirty-four large carriers, steam and sail, have rounded the breakwater and passed through the entrance to the inner harbor at Dead Man's Island, with assorted cargoes of woodstuffs loaded at northern ports for distribution at San Pedro wharves, to local yards and to consignees throughout Southern California, Arizona, New Mexico and old Mexico.

The vessels arriving within a week have a combined tonnage of 16,462 tons and carried in crews 632 men. They brought the enormous total of 34,473,000 feet of lumber, with a value, at wholesale, of almost $475,000. An idea of the enormous business represented by these totals is better given when it is stated that these woodstuffs would load 12,600 large cars, which end to end would make a solid trainload of lumber nearly ten miles long.

An interesting feature of the big business of the last seven days is the large tonnage of some of the carriers. The great steamer Falcon, Capt. Scege, 985 tons, arrived on November 26, carrying 1,550,000 feet of lumber for stock and eastern consignment, for the Consolidated Lumber Company, which has extensive yards at Wilmington.

On December 1, the enormous steel steamship Meteor, Capt. Golightly, arrived from Seattle, and went to her berth at the Southern Pacific wharf, with a "checkerboard" cargo of 1,600,000 feet of woodstuffs for eight different consignees. She was formerly a grain carrier the Great Lakes but was brought around the Horn a few years ago and placed in the coastwise lumber trade.

BIG SHIPS ARRIVE.

Wednesday, the handsome steamer Francis H. Leggett, Capt. Sears, 975 tons, arrived from Eureka, with 1,600,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the National Lumber Company, most of which will be stored in that company's extensive yards at Terminal.

Yesterday another huge carrier, the steamship Melville Dollar, Capt. Fosen, 1103 tons, came up the inner harbor and went to her berth at the San Pedro Lumber Company's yard with 1,500,000 feet of woodstuffs for Southern California consumption.

In addition to the "Big Four" above mentioned many vessels of considerable tonnage and large carrying capacity have arrived. These include, the steamer Sibyl Marsten, Capt. Schillinsky, 647 tons, from Eureka with 1,000,000 feet; the Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, 547 tons; Hoquiam, Capt. Renlertsen, 440 tons; Fairhaven, Capt. Paulsen, 437 tons;

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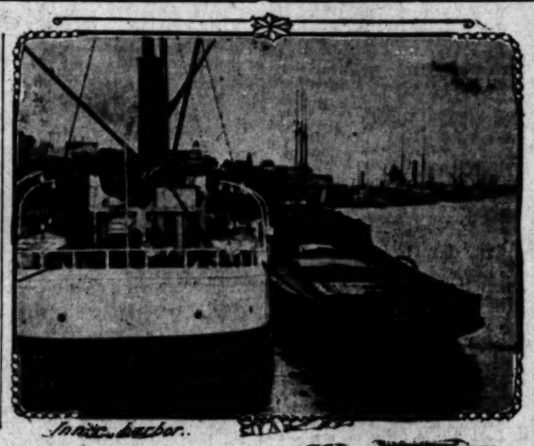

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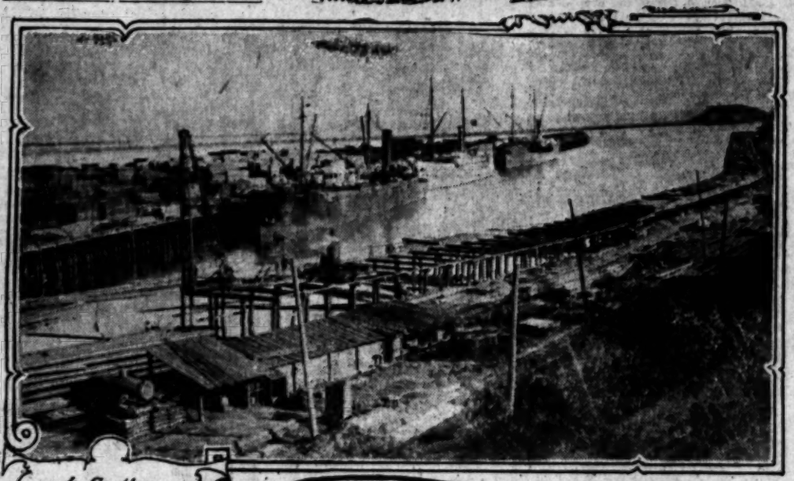

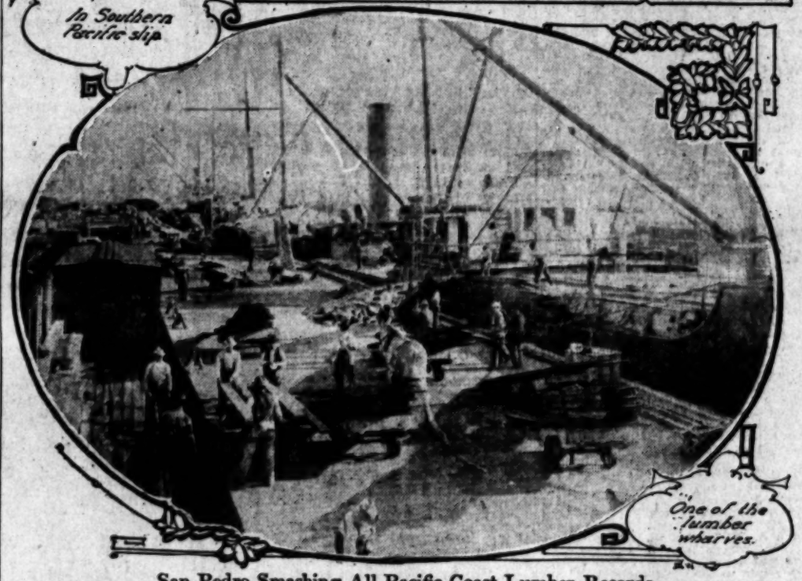

One of the lumber wharves.

San Pedro Smashing All Pacific Coast Lumber Records.

Busy scenes of the enormous traffic on the wharves yesterday. Receipts in a week have been more than twenty-three and a half million feet, valued at nearly half a million dollars, wholesale.

OPPOSES LICENSE.

Realty Board Objects to Proposed Bill and Will Make New Recommendations.

At a meeting of the Los Angeles Realty Board at the Westminster Hotel yesterday, a discussion of the bill submitted by the Legislative Committee of the State Realty Federation, which would require all real estate agents to obtain a license from the State and to give bond for $5000, was the principal subject acted upon.

In the absence of De Witt H. Gray, president of the Fresno Real Estate Board, and author of the bill, its provisions were explained by Herbert Burdett. The bill as outlined by the special Legislative Committee of the federation provided simply for a fixed bond of $5000. As printed for consideration by the various realty boards, certain provisions were inserted, which Mr. Burdett stated had not been considered by the committee.

It was proposed that a committee of the Los Angeles board be appointed to consider certain amendments which would provide for a fixed bond of $5000, instead of a minimum of $5000, and a larger bond at the discretion of the bureau charged with approval of such bonds; for the appointment by the Governor of a real estate commissioner, who will issue licenses, approve bonds and sureties and pass upon complaints against agents; these complaints to be accompanied by a bond of at least $1000 to indemnify the agent complained of for damages or expense, in case the complaint should not be sustained; suits based upon such complaints to be brought within three months, instead of within a year, as provided in the original bill.

The measure as drafted would have placed the matter in the hands of the Bureau of Building and Loan Supervision.

Many members of the board participated in the discussion, and it was evident that the bill, as drawn, would have had very little support. It was finally referred to the Governing Committee for consideration, who will report its recommendations to the board at a meeting to be held within two weeks.

PUNCTUATED BY SHOT.

R. W. Duncan of No. 832 South Wall street, was slightly wounded by a few scattering shot while out hunting yesterday near Laguna ranch. When he reached the city last night he went to the Receiving Hospital, where the physicians extracted a dozen shot, which had punctured the skin in his back and left side. Duncan says there were a number of hunters on the ranch and he was in some brush when he was hit.

THIRSTY.

HELPLESS LIES BIG WARSHIP.

Catinat Needs Water, Says Her Commander.

Laughs at "Rough Weather" Plea for Delay.

Local Company Denies All of His Charges.

With her own supply of fresh drinking water exhausted, the French cruiser Catinat is lying in the lower bay at San Pedro, helpless for want of a new store, says her commander, Commodore Buchard. For five days, he says, he has been asking the Banning Company to send him 100 tons of water, and each day he has been put off with the statement that the "bay was too rough."

The superintendent of the company denies that he has received more than one as yet unanswered request from the French warship for water. He admits that he sent his water tank, El Aguador, to the battleship yesterday, and was unable to get along side through fear of damaging the sides of the cruiser and of his own boat.

The weather failed to keep away some score of guests, members of the local French colony and their friends, invited to a farewell reception given by the officers of the vessel yesterday afternoon. To all outward appearances the day, though chilly on the bay, was pleasant enough for the job of transferring water from the tank boat to the tanks of the cruiser.

COMPANY RIDICULED.

Politely the commander told of "embarrassment" caused by the shortage of fresh water and pointing to the smooth bay alongside his vessel, asked "are there any waves there that would frighten a man—or even a woman? It is ridiculous."

Commodore Buchard also made a protest at the pilotage charges vessels coming into San Pedro Harbor are forced to pay, and said he was led to employ a pilot by a grave error in the latest coast and geodetic chart, published by the government.

His vessel is anchored in the blight at the southwest corner of the lower bay, and for his guidance to that point he was forced to pay $200 in pilot fees. He appealed to the Chamber of Commerce in this city and was told that, as it was a matter which concerned San Pedro only, nothing could be done here.

The matter has been taken up by some members of the Reception Committee of the French colony who have been active in entertaining the officers and men of the cruiser and steps will be taken to secure a settlement.

FAULTY MAPS DENOUNCED.

Commodore Buchard himself would not discuss the monetary end of the matter at all, further than to admit that he had been charged $200 for the short trip from the mouth of the harbor to his present anchorage, but he went into voluble denunciations of the chart which caused his mistake. He said:

"It is a bad advertisement of the port of your city, to have such a chart printed and published. It purports to be up to last October, but it indicates that this beautiful bay is filled with 'sargasso'—sea weed—what you call kelp. No mariner wants to bring his steamer into a bay filled with kelp.

"It fouls his screws, strains through into his condensers, and causes a world of trouble in the engine and fire-rooms. That chart is bad for your very magnificent city—very bad.

"Another thing is the difficulty in getting water—fresh drinking water, I mean. Five days have I been trying to secure a supply and each day have I been put off with the statement that the bay was too rough to bring the

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PECULIAR.

WOMEN CRY AGAINST HOME APRON SCHEME.

THOUGH numerous complaints have been made to the postoffice inspectors of this district by the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the Chamber of Commerce and the Mayor concerning the queer business methods of the Home Apron and Dress Company, Lissner Building, no action apparently has been taken. This concern is supposed to be operated by the promoters of the Pacific Apron Company of Portland, Or., and it is said H. C. Van Neida, the manager, who was arrested there, formerly was connected with the local establishment. As the schemes are identical, the commercial organizations are at a loss to account for the seeming apathy of the inspectors here.

Van Neida was arrested on a charge of conducting a swindling mail order business and the Federal authorities at Portland state they will press the case.

Several months ago Secretary Zeehandelaar of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association received a complaint regarding the Home Apron Company and immediately took up the matter with the police and the postal inspectors.

"We have many inquiries about this concern," said Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday. "I sent a reliable agent to make an investigation and, from the report, I am convinced the business is not conducted honorably. We have advised all persons to have nothing to do with the scheme."

PITIFUL LETTERS.

Several pitiful letters were sent to the Mayor by poor women in the East who said they had been defrauded out of $1 each, sent to the concern for materials. The following advertisement appears in eastern papers, principally in rural districts: "Wanted—Ladies to make aprons; $3.60 a dozen. No cost to get work. Materials sent prepaid. Inclose stamped addressed envelope. Home Apron and Dress Co., Los Angeles, Cal."

It is asserted that the concern does not sell aprons, but makes a handsome profit from the money sent by correspondents in payment for materials.

The method of the concern is explained by the following extracts from its circular letters: "Until such time as we enroll you as a regular sewer, we ask that you send us $1 at the time you make and send in application. Upon receipt of your remittance, we immediately send you material enough for one apron, together with a pattern and instructions for making the same."

A Los Angeles woman who visited the office of the company says the cost of materials amounts to but a few cents.

After the applicant receives the materials and tries to follow the elaborate instructions, she sends on the completed apron. A reply is sent by the company, stating that the work is poorly done and offering a "perfectly made" apron as a sample—price $1.25.

A woman in Ely, Nev., writes to the Chamber of Commerce that she finished one apron and sent it on. The apron was returned with a printed slip of corrections. She demanded the return of her money, minus the expense of material. She states that she received no reply.

"INJURE ANY TOWN."

A woman in Bagdad, Fla., who sent on one of the "unsatisfactory aprons," writes to the Mayor: "If it is the fake I presume it is from your letter, it would be well to put a stop to such things. It will injure any town."

Scores of similar letters are on file in the Chamber of Commerce.

On the authority of an experienced seamstress, the instructions sent out give the concern ample authority, from its standpoint, to send back an apron made by the champion sewer of the world. After the company gets the dollar, it appears that none of the applicants can make an apron to suit.

An inquiry at the office elicited the positive assurance that Los Angeles women are not desired. All the applicants are believed to be poor women of rural communities.

Unless a fraud order issue from the Postoffice Department, there seems to be no remedy for poor women who believe they have been defrauded. The concern causes each applicant to sign a contract that seems to avert the possibility of suit. Clever clauses apparently protect the concern.

The sewer can keep the apron after sending on $1 for materials, which cost possibly 15 cents. The company states that the applicants have no reason to appear aggrieved, because they are unable to comply with conditions.

PLAGUE OF SOOT.

Washing Spotted and Porches Smudged Near Factory; Fire Commission Will Investigate.

Soot that belches from the chimneys of a factory on East Forty-eighth street sent a delegation of property-owners before the Fire Commission yesterday. W. S. Crane, who led the delegation, requested the commissioners to proceed against the factory people for violation of the smoke ordinance.

Three linen sheets, part of a family washing, were exhibited as evidence to prove that the people of the neighborhood know little about the famed "spotless town." The sheets looked as if they had been spattered with black ink.

A bottle of soot also was shown. It was said the contents had been swept from a front porch not far from the offending chimneys. It is only at times that the soot and smoke come forth, said Crane, and the people of the neighborhood are getting in the habit of putting out their "wash" on the days which they have learned through experience are marked by inactivity at the factory.

Crane said the offense was caused by a pottery kiln on East Forty-eighth street, between McKinley avenue and Wadsworth street. He did not know the name of the proprietors.

The commissioners agreed to make a personal inspection, with a view to abatement of the alleged nuisance.

NEW HERE.

VOLLEY BALL IS A BIG HIT.

GIRLS OF THE Y.W.C.A. SHINE IN THE LATEST GAME.

Seventy-two of Them Take Part in Tournament in Gymnasium, While Rooters in Gallery Encourage Members of Their Various Classes. Innovation Proves Popular.

An exciting game of volley ball last evening, in which seventy-two girls participated, and which was witnessed by an enthusiastic audience that rooted, and sang itself hoarse, was the interesting event marking the first special night in the beautiful new gymnasium of the Young Women's Christian Association.

It was the first exhibition in Los Angeles of the new volley ball game, which bids fair to eclipse basketball, one of its great advantages being that so many more may take part in it at the same time, and because it is a game requiring skill rather than great physical strength.

A net stretched across the room divides the court, and the game is played by two teams of twelve each.

The object of the game is to bat the ball, which is much smaller and lighter than a basket ball, over the net, and get it on the floor of the opponents' court. This scores one point, and all the fun, excitement and enthusiasm of the game is caused by each team's effort to keep the ball in the air.

The tournament was started by the Monday morning class team playing the Tuesday evening 6:45 class team. The result was a score of 46 to 43 in favor of the evening class. Next the Tuesday 7:45 class team met the Monday 5:15 class team, the former scoring 51 points to the latter's 31. This was something of a disappointment, for the 5:15 team was looked upon as the crack team, Miss Stevers, in charge of the gym classes, attributes the defeat of the crack team to stage fright.

The play between the Monday 6:45 team and the Tuesday 3:30 team was exciting. The ball was kept in play back and forth over the net for a number of times, until the audience fairly went wild with enthusiasm.

The next game was played by the winners of the first two games, and the winners of the second game. This resulted in victory for the 7:45 Tuesday class.

The closing game was played by the 7:45 Tuesday playing the 3:30 Tuesday team. The game started out with the 3:30's ahead and doing good work, when the 7:45's suddenly braced up and met their opponents in a regular tug of war. Soon the two teams were even in score, and then both put forth their best efforts to win. When time was called, the 3:30's had scored 41, while the 7:45's had 40 points, the 3:30's holding the ball.

One week from tonight the first demonstration will be held of the entire gym work, in which all classes will take part.

TRYING FOR IT AGAIN.

Chamber of Commerce Beginning Another Campaign for Government Assay Office.

The Chamber of Commerce is to begin another campaign for a government assay office in this city. Secretary Wiggins received a telegram from Senator Flint at Washington, yesterday, stating that the government has established an office at Salt Lake and is about to start one in Kansas City. Some time ago, when the local chamber tried to get some action in the matter, the Washington authorities asserted that no more offices would be opened for a long time.

"If other cities are to have assay offices, we certainly are entitled to one," said Secretary Wiggins. "Our Committee on Mines will at once take the matter up and we will try to get results. This city is a center for big mining men of the Southwest, and it would be a great convenience for all the districts tributary to Los Angeles to have an assay office here, whose bullion could be sent from all over this State, Nevada and Arizona."

PENTECOSTAL REVIVAL.

Series of Meetings With Noted Evangelist Will Begin Next Sunday at the Tabernacle.

The usual series of revival meetings held at the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene in November were this year postponed because of the Torrey meetings, but will open next Sunday at the Tabernacle, Sixth and Wall streets.

Rev. Seth C. Rees, the noted Quaker evangelist, will assist the pastor of the church, and a strong chorus will be led by Rev. I. T. Martin of this city. During the thirteen years since Rev. Dr. Bresee has been pastor of this church there have been many noted revivals, and it is expected that the present occasion will produce the greatest results in the history of the church. Rev. J. W. Goodwin, the assistant pastor, is also a strong Christian worker. The series of meetings will be continued for two or more weeks as circumstances may direct.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Building Committee of the City Council decided last night to recommend that no change be made in the fire limits west of Hill street, and that a section of the Seventh Ward be formed into a new district, in which old structures may be moved, raised and a one-story brick structure erected underneath, or altered to the extent of 20 per cent. of the original value of the building, not to exceed $1500.

Judge Rives heard evidence yesterday in the contest between Mrs. Emily S. Watson, widow of John H. Watson, and his daughter, Mrs. Stella L. Butler, over Watson's estate.

The hearing of testimony was resumed before Judge Conrey in the contested divorce suit of Mrs. Sarah A. Sprague against George H. Sprague.

The Supervisors awarded the contract for engraving the good roads bonds to E. H. Rollins and Sons, at $1775.

Fred Markham testified in his trial before Judge Wilbur on a charge of murdering his brother.

June Raymond, accused of smuggling opium to a prisoner in the City Jail, nearly escaped trial in the Police Court, yesterday, on a technicality, but she was rearrested on a second complaint and was returned to her cell.

AT THE CITY HALL.

FIRE LIMITS NOT CHANGED.

BUT RULES IN SEVENTH WARD ARE MODIFIED.

Building Ordinance Committee Decides not to Tinker With Present Protected District, but Will Recommend Law to Permit Home Improvements in Restricted Section.

After two hours of wrangling last evening over the proposed changes in the fire limits, the Building Committee of the Council decided to recommend that the district be left as it now exists, with the exception of a slight reduction of the restrictions in a part of the Seventh Ward.

The committee held an open meeting in the Council chamber, which was attended by a number of real estate men. The proposition submitted was supposed to be a compromise between Building Inspector Backus, who asked that the fire limits be extended, and the Councilmen whose districts would be affected.

The proposed change was to take three sections from the old restricted district and add certain new territory, to make District No. 2. The remainder of the old district to be known as District No. 1, in which the building restrictions would remain unchanged.

The section to be taken from the old district extended from First street to Temple street, between Hill street and Bunker Hill avenue; from Fifth street to Pico street, between Grand avenue and Figueroa street; from Third street to Ninth street, between San Pedro street to the eastern edge of the district.

To these sections were to be added all the property between Sixth street and Temple street, west from Bunker Hill avenue to Figueroa street; also that section between Los Angeles street and Figueroa street, from the southern edge of the present fire limits south to Washington street.

This immense section of the city was to be known as District No. 2, in which the same restriction would exist in respect to the erection of new buildings as now exists within the present fire limits, the difference being the regulations pertaining to existing structures. In the present district no change can be made exceeding $20, and this was to be amended so that the owner could move his building on the same lot, or raise an old building and put a one-story brick underneath, or make changes costing not more than 20 per cent. of the original value of the structure—not to exceed $1500.

So many protests were received against any change in the existing limits on the western edge of the present district that a recommendation was made to leave those limits as they are.

Councilman Lyons then presented the conditions that existed in the Seventh Ward, and asked that a recommendation be made to have the section of the old district, east of San Pedro street between Third and Ninth streets, formed into District No. 2, in which old structures might be moved or remodeled. He was seconded in this request by E. J. Baldwin and T. J. McGinley, the latter a former fireman, who represented seventy residents of the district.

Baldwin stated that he wanted to put a new roof on his house, but could not do so under the existing fire regulations, and McGinley said that the people who lived in the section were poor and unable to build fireproof structures, and the present laws practically removed from them the right to further improve their property. This plea won their cause and a motion to make the recommendation asked for by Lyons was carried.

Burning of Rubbish.

Fire Chief Lips recommended to the Fire Commission yesterday the adoption of an amendment to the ordinance governing the burning of rubbish, prohibiting bonfires within twenty-five feet of any property line, without the consent of the property owner. J. M. Snodgrass has filed an amendment of this nature with the City Council.

Fireman's Disappearance.

Henry Eichorn, a fireman who disappeared strangely on November 7 from the engine house with which he was connected, was dropped from the department rolls yesterday by the Fire Commission. Chief Lips said the man had left his belongings behind, and thought the man might have met with an accident. An attempt will be made to locate Eichorn.

CARTER BROUGHT BACK.

Dr. Charles Carter, alias Carlton, one of a dozen men purporting to be physicians, indicted by the Federal grand jury for conducting an illicit business, was brought here yesterday from San Francisco, in custody of Deputy United States Marshal Bert Franklin. Owing to the manner in which he has eluded arrest since last April, his bond was fixed at $5000. Carter stated that he was aware that Federal officers wanted him, but that he was not prepared to submit to arrest until he had arranged his business affairs. He asserted that he conducted a legitimate advertising doctor's business and never violated the postal laws. He will be tried with the other defendants at the January term of the United States District Court.

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AT THE COURTHOUSE.

STEPMOTHER'S ACT ATTACKED.

DAUGHTER OF WATSON SEEKING SHARE OF ESTATE.

Invalid Declares That Second Wife of Her Father Exerted Undue Influence to Gain Property—Accused Woman Makes Denial and Seeks to Remain as Administratrix.

Dressed in deep mourning, and seated in her wheeled invalid chair, Mrs. Stella L. Butler listened in the court of Judge Rives, yesterday to the testimony of her stepmother, Mrs. Emily S. Watson, whom she seeks to remove from the administration of John S. Watson's estate.

Mrs. Watson, also clad in deep mourning, is charged by Mrs. Butler with an attempt to illegally appropriate $16,594 belonging to Watson's estate. Accusations are made that she caused her husband to sign checks to her order when he was mentally unbalanced; poisoned his mind against his helpless daughter, and systematically tried to secure his property at his daughter's expense.

The two women are the only heirs of the Watson estate. It is inventoried at $26,587, exclusive of the $16,594 which Mrs. Watson admitted yesterday she drew from the Security Savings Fund Bank account of Watson in September, 1907. This was about two months before his death. He left no will.

Mrs. Watson testified that she filled in the check herself and that it was signed by her husband, she being the only witness. She also identified a $500 check drawn and signed in the same way on September 19. The receipts from this check she afterward deposited in the First National Bank, where she then opened an account. She asserted that Watson was in his right mind when the checks were drawn.

John T. Butler, husband of Watson's daughter, testified that his wife has been a helpless invalid, suffering from paralysis of the entire lower part of her body since July, 1906. He was married to Mrs. Butler three years ago, and knew her father for about seven years before his death.

Butler said Watson was taken ill with kidney trouble in December, 1906, and that from August 2, 1907, he was so affected mentally because of his disease that he could not recognise or talk coherently with Butler or his daughter. On that date Watson, in what was supposed to be a dying condition, said to Butler, his wife, Mrs. Watson and others gathered about his bedside, that he wished his daughter to have $10,000 and certain real estate, and his wife to have the rest of his property. The next day Butler called again and Mrs. Watson then said she could not make her husband understand anything, and feared he would not be able to make a will and provide for her.

The witness said that from that time on, Watson did not recognise his relatives, except at intervals, and became violent at times from delusions that people were trying to murder him, or that he was in a burning railroad wreck. His struggles were violent. He did not recognize his daughter when she called, and sat for hours with his head hanging. He muttered unintelligibly. This unbalanced state continued, according to the witness, until Watson died.

Mrs. Watson denied the charge of undue influence, asserted that her husband was rational when he signed checks for her, and declared that her course has been neither selfish or improper. Her friends say Watson's estate was mainly accumulated through her efforts, and that the man therefore was anxious to make particular provision for her.

The hearing will be resumed next Tuesday.

FRATRICIDE CASE.

MARKHAM'S MIND BLANK.

Self-possessed and answering questions in a voice so low as to be almost inaudible, Fred Markham took the stand in his own defense at his trial in Judge Wilbur's court, yesterday afternoon, on a charge of fatally shooting his brother Charles, at their San Fernando blacksmith shop on September 19.

Markham said he remembered nothing of the matter. The last recollection he had of anything that day was about 11 o'clock in the morning, when he watched the minstrel parade at San Fernando. Until Sunday morning, he said everything was a blank to him. Markham was subjected to a long and searching cross-examination by Deputy Dist.-Atty. J. W. Ford, but he stuck to his story.

Constable Fred E. Strader, Deputy Constable Y. M. Ybarra, who arrested Markham, and Albert Englehardt, A. C. Bowles and Mrs. Jennifer, who cared for Charles Markham after he was shot, testified that Fred Markham talked rationally after the shooting, and said: "Well, if I did shoot him, I must stand for it."

All corroborated the testimony of J. H. Hutchings that Fred said he had shot his brother.

J. D. Wade, a County Jail prisoner, and Tom Murphy, jailer, were called for the defense, and testified that when Fred Markham arrived at the County Jail he was in bad physical condition and seemed dazed as a result of his debauch. Hutchings was the only other witness called by the defense. Final arguments will begin Monday morning.

Hutchings attempted to testify that Fred Markham was so drunk on "dago red" that he did not know what he was doing. Asked by the prosecution if he has an expert knowledge of drunkenness resulting from "dago red," Hutchings said he got drunk on it once two years ago, and supposed he made a fool of himself, though he remembered nothing of what he did while drunk.

The prosecution urged that Hutchings had not qualified as an expert on the effects of "dago red," and the court struck this part of his testimony from the record. Hutchings was asked if he had ever seen anybody drunk on "dago red," but objected to giving the names of such people, as he said he thought it would be unfair to drag them into the case.

BOND SQUABBLE ENDS.

ROLLINS BIDS ACCEPTED.

Without the usual bickering, by play, or mutual recriminations on good roads bond matters, all the Supervisors voted yesterday morning to award to E. H. Rollins & Sons, buyers of $1,050,000 good roads bonds, the contract for engraving the bonds at $1775.

This award was conditional on the bidder securing from the W. P. Jeffries Company a rescission of all its claims on the county under the award previously made for the work. A. W. Bullard, representing the Rollins concern, stated that he had had a conference with representatives of the Jeffries Company and was authorized to offer such a release. Because of this release, the Supervisors considered the Rollins' bid better for the county than the bid for engraving by the Merchants' Bank and Trust Company at $1600, or bids by the Security Bank Note Company at $1475 or $1725, according to the quality of the work.

By unanimous vote, the Supervisors adopted resolutions dating the bonds February 1, 1909, the same to be printed before March 1, 1909, making formal award of the $1,050,000 lot to E. H. Rollins & Sons, and levying the necessary taxes for interest and sinking funds on the bonds. All these resolutions were passed without debate.

IN SPRAGUE'S BEHALF.

DIVORCE SUIT REOPENS.

A touch of humor was given to the divorce suit of Mrs. Sarah A. Sprague against George H. Sprague in Judge Conrey's court yesterday, when Clarence E. McCloud, a carpenter, testified about his experience with Mrs. Sprague, who is said to have turned her sick husband out of the house in July, 1907, after she had secured his $20,000 estate, and who failed in her efforts to force him to seek a divorce from her. Sprague filed a maintenance suit against his wife and then disappeared.

At the trial of her suit, several former friends of the woman testified that she invited them to her home and asked them to help her in nagging her husband, that she might get rid of him. Judge Conrey reopened the case yesterday, that new evidence might be given in Sprague's behalf.

"I met Mrs. Sprague before her marriage one Sunday evening at the First Methodist Church," said McCloud. "I was kneeling in a pew, and she came up and asked me if I was a Christian. I said I was, and we got to talking. She asked me to walk home with her. I did so, and when we got to the house she asked me if I was a married man. I told her I was not hunting for a wife, for I had a divorce suit on my hands. She used to sit and read the Bible to me evenings.

"She asked me to call again and I did so. For three months I took her about to various hotels and lunch rooms, and I lent her money. She afterward sent me $5, with a quarrelsome letter, and I lost sight of her until after her marriage.

"She met me afterward on the street and asked me to call and I did. Finally, after several such calls, she told me she had married Sprague and got all he had. She said she was tired of him and was going to get rid of him, after which she would be willing to take up with me again.

"I told her I didn't want her. That made her mad and I dropped her. She used to follow me around and bother me. I am not a church member now."

Mrs. Julia A. Bryan testified that she visited Mrs. Sprague's home, witnessed her cruel treatment of Sprague, and was told by Mrs. Sprague that she had all his money and was going to get rid of him. Mrs. Bryan said Mrs. Sprague had nothing when she met Sprague at a matrimonial bureau.

Mrs. Sprague, on the stand in her own defense, admitted she asked McCloud if he was a Christian, but denied that her acquaintance with him went further. She said Mrs. Bryan had quarreled with her and threatened to hurt her. Under cross-examination, she answered evasively and frequently said she could not remember.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

MITCHELL ACQUITTED. After twelve minutes' deliberation, a jury in Judge Jamison's court yesterday acquitted Robert Mitchell, tried on a felony charge of voting twice in Precinct No. 27 at the August primary election. Closing argument occupied the entire morning, Mitchell making a long plea, in which he analyzed the evidence and contended that it failed to show any guilty act or intent. He said he had no recollection of voting at the time when he signed the roster at 7 o'clock of election day.

SEEKS PEACE. Alleging that he is being harassed and annoyed by a creditor, Attorney J. Marion Brooks yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against Constable Ben Cuff and A. W. Brode. In it he asks $100 for attorney's fees to pay for legal counsel he says he has been obliged to retain to prosecute the suit. Brooks says that November 18 Brode got $25 judgment against him in Justice Summerfield's court on a claim and delivery suit for two sets of law books and a pair of newspaper shears. He says he cannot deliver the books, which Brode insists on having, but offered to pay the judgment and costs, which Brode has refused to accept. The plaintiff says he has been vexed by a search of his office and by importunities on the street and he asks the court to confirm the judgment of the lower court and put an end to the alleged vexatious and irritating treatment of which Brooks complains.

OBJECTS TO TITLE. John G. Ritter yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against F. Braash to set aside a note for $1000, given last March in payment for a tract of land. The paintiff says the defendant represented falsely that he could deliver title to the land, which really belongs to the Federal government.

USED DYES. Charles W. Churchill of Pomona, Dodderar and Boldemann of Long Beach, and C. F. Clapp or Covina paid $25 fine each in Justice Selph's court yesterday for having in their possession soda fountain syrups artificially colored with dyes, the fact not being stated on the labels in accord with the pure food law. G. S. Watanabe, arrested for having improperly labelled Worcestershire sauce in his possession, deposited $50 bail, pending appearance later. The warrants were issued by Deputy District-Attorney McCartney, who is charged with the enforcement of the pure food law.

TAKE A REST. Argument on the admissibility of evidence in the examination of W. H. Carlson, charged with embezzlement, was suspended in Justice Selph's court yesterday. After argument on a motion by the defense for a continuance, the court granted the motion. Argument will be resumed this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the County Clerk by the Huggins, Hollander, Funke Company, capital stock $50,000; Mutual Investment Association of Los Angeles, membership fee $5; Santa Gertrudes Water Company, capital stock $20,000; Yucaipa Valley Water and Improvement Company, capital stock $100,000.

GETS DAMAGES. A jury in Judge Houser's court yesterday awarded J. P. Shumway $700 damages in his suit against the Los Angeles Railroad Company for $10,355 damages for injuries received in a West Eleventh street collision between Shumway's wagon and a trolley car in November, 1907. Shumway said he received permanent injuries.

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ALMOST ESCAPES ON CHARGE OF SMUGGLING OPIUM.

Prosecution Fails to Show Substance Slipped Into Jail in Tobacco Packages Is Drug, but Dodge of People's Attorney Holds Her on Second Complaint.

With the fate of pretty June Raymond at stake, attorneys in the case waged a bitter war over a technicality in the Police Court of Justice Chambers yesterday. Every loophole of the law was seized upon by attorneys for the woman accused of smuggling opium into the City Jail, while Deputy District Attorney Keetch, by a brilliant move, finally won the day.

As a result of the proceedings, the charge against Miss Raymond was dismissed and a second charge was filed. She will appear in court tomorrow morning to face preliminary examination on the new complaint, alleging that she smuggled opium into the jail so that her intimate friend, Ralph Buchanan, a prisoner, might not suffer for want of the drug.

The courtroom was jammed when Miss Raymond, attired in a fashionable lace waist, black silk skirt and long coat, appeared in the prisoner's dock. Hours of incarceration had put their mark upon the girl, and she appeared tired and worried.

When Jailer McCauley took the stand as the first witness it became evident that the case was to bring forth a battle of technicalities. McCauley stated that Miss Raymond had appeared at the jail with five sacks of tobacco, which she asked the jailer to give to Raymond. McCauley stated that he found in the sacks several lumps, which he judged to be opium. He then caused the arrest of the girl on the felony charge.

Surgeon Chamberlain of the Receiving Hospital said he had seen the sacks opened and the foreign substance removed. He could not swear that the substance was opium.

Dr. Wright of the Receiving Hospital, druggist, physician and surgeon, was unwilling to swear the substance was opium, because he had made no test.

If the lumps were not opium, Miss Raymond had committed no crime. They might have been pieces of hoarhound candy, according to the contention of one of her attorneys.

At this point in the proceedings, Deputy District Attorney Keetch asked that a continuance be granted in order to make a test of the stuff placed in evidence. Attorney Thompson and his associates objected on the ground that the court had no authority to grant a continuance.

Justice Chambers held that the examination must proceed, unless the defense wanted a continuance, which, Miss Raymond stated, she did not want.

Then Attorney Keetch, seized with a sudden coughing spell, left the courtroom. He returned soon, beaming with satisfaction, and again asked for a continuance of twenty-four hours. Justice Chambers refused to grant it, and Keetch announced then that he had nothing more to say.

Then Attorney Thompson informed Miss Raymond that if the complaint were dismissed she would be at liberty until a second one could be issued. She also was informed that she might have to walk fast to get out of court before other papers were made out.

The young woman gathered her skirts together to make a quick run.

Just as Justice Chambers was dismissing the first charge, Keetch motioned Jailer McCauley to step forward, and the officer swore to a second complaint, and Miss Raymond was arrested before she could leave the dock. Keetch had prepared the new complaint during his brief absence from the courtroom.

Miss Raymond was sent back to her cell to await examination tomorrow.

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At another place he saw broken into, on the very day of his visit, twelve feet of a different character of ore, carrying fine iron oxides and good gold values, in addition to the lead carbonates for which the mines are celebrated. This, too, is ore which the smelters are glad to get as flux. Ordinarily, this is a showing of riches which is sufficient to satisfy any mine operator and the conclusion was inevitable that old Tecopa had again come into its own, with better promise of continued production than when, thirty years ago, the ores were sufficiently rich to justify a wagon haul of 200 miles to railroad and smelter facilities.

Less than a month later came the word that Tecopa had shut down. It was like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky to those who knew anything about the physical condition of the property. It was known, too, that thousands of dollars were in the treasury and that a comparatively small percentage of the amount set apart for exploration had been expended.

Several attachments were issued against the property, and they stand against its fair name now, unless satisfied within the past day or two. There were rumors that the superintendent had exceeded his authority in some way, that he had spent more money than had been appropriated for development. But it was hardly conceivable that business men would act so summarily for such reasons. The ore was known to be persistent in quantity and value; there was money in the treasury to meet twenty times or more the liabilities which had been incurred. Moreover, it is patent to every one who has any knowledge of such matters that the depreciation of equipment in a shut-down mine is rapid and great. It is hardly conceivable, therefore, that a mere whim of the management would lead to a deliberate sacrifice of values and of cold cash.

It is stated that the overdue bills are being paid, and that resumption of work will follow. When? And what will be the reason given for the mysterious proceedure, or will none be vouchsafed, on the ground that it is not the public's business? Quien sabe?

Activity Near Daggett.

With the increase of mining activity observable in all districts for the past month, the older camps are holding their own with the newly discovered and boom sections. Daggett, the outfitting point and mecca of prospectors years ago, and the home of many men who have made a success of the search for the earth's treasures, is alive again. Five miles to the south, Hasbrown brothers have started a five-stamp mill on their gold property in the Ord Mountains, which adjoins the well-developed claims of J. D. Osborne.

Ten miles north, H. A. Burcham, superintendent of the Yellow Aster mine, is laying the concrete foundations for a ten-stamp mill, which will be erected on his gold property within a few weeks. Many other properties are being developed, and as the time for doing assessment work draws to a close, the exodus of owners to their claims takes business brisk for outfitting merchants.

Climbing in Values.

Goldfield's top-notch lease, the Consolidated Red Top, in which a number of Los Angeles investors are interested, seems to be improving daily, according to telegraphic reports received here. Yesterday's advices were to the effect that assays of ore from the 225-foot level showed $208 in gold, nine and one-half ounces of silver and 2 per cent. lead. On the 300 level, values of $286 were found.

Movements of Mining Men.

J. D. Osborne, one of the old-timers in desert mining, former owner of the famous Tecopa mines, which he sold a few years ago for $250,000, and now operating in the Ord Mountains, is at the United States Hotel.

H. H. Wallace, owner of the Beehive group of gold claims in the Avawatz range, west of Silver Lake, San Bernardino county, will leave in a few days for a winter's campaign of development on the property.

Dana G. Putnam, E. M., registers at the Chamber of Mines from the North Star mine, Kofa district, Arizona. He is stopping at No. 1100 Santee street.

T. Frank Bonneau, one of the original boomers of Rhyolite, later interested in the Virgin oil fields, Utah, and Rawhide, Nev., is registered at the Alexandria from San Francisco.

O. H. Wharton and J. L. Hydes, iron producers, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are at the Alexandria while sizing up the situation in reference to iron lands of the Coast region.

Franklin Leonard, manager for big mining interests at Sutro, Nev., is at the Angelus.

B. A. Fraser, operating the well-known Pichcho mines near the Colorado, above Yuma, is at the Hollenbeck.

J. D. Williams, in the employ of the Detroit Copper Company at Morenci, Ariz., arrived yesterday at the Hollenbeck.

W. T. Owen of Bisbee, Ariz., and James Letson of Sylvanite, N. M., are guests of the Hollenbeck. Both give good accounts of the prospects developing at Sylvanite, the very latest mining camp on the map.

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At another place he saw broken into, on the very day of his visit, twelve feet of a different character of ore, carrying fine iron oxides and good gold values, in addition to the lead carbonates for which the mines are celebrated. This, too, is ore which the smelters are glad to get as flux. Ordinarily, this is a showing of riches which is sufficient to satisfy any mine operator and the conclusion was inevitable that old Tecopa had again come into its own, with better promise of continued production than when, thirty years ago, the ores were sufficiently rich to justify a wagon haul of 200 miles to railroad and smelter facilities.

Less than a month later came the word that Tecopa had shut down. It was like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky to those who knew anything about the physical condition of the property. It was known, too, that thousands of dollars were in the treasury and that a comparatively small percentage of the amount set apart for exploration had been expended.

Several attachments were issued against the property, and they stand against its fair name now, unless satisfied within the past day or two. There were rumors that the superintendent had exceeded his authority in some way, that he had spent more money than had been appropriated for development. But it was hardly conceivable that business men would act so summarily for such reasons. The one was known to be persistent in quantity and value; there was money in the treasury to meet twenty times or more the liabilities which had been incurred. Moreover, it is patent to every one who has any knowledge of such matters that the depreciation of equipment in a shut-down mine is rapid and great. It is hardly conceivable, therefore, that a mere whim of the management would lead to a deliberate sacrifice of values and of cold cash.

It is stated that the overdue bills are being paid, and that resumption of work will follow. When? And what will be the reason given for the mysterious procedure, or will none be vouchsafed, on the ground that it is not the public's business? Quien sabe?

Activity Near Daggett.

With the increase of mining activity observable in all districts for the past month, the older camps are holding their own with the newly discovered and boom sections. Daggett, the outfitting point and mecca of prospectors years ago, and the home of many men who have made a success of the search for the earth's treasures, is alive again. Five miles to the south, Hasan brothers have started a five-stamp mill on their gold property in the Ord Mountains, which adjoins the well-developed claims of J. D. Osborne.

Ten miles north, H. A. Burcham, superintendent of the Yellow Aster mine, is laying the concrete foundations for a ten-stamp mill, which will be erected on his gold property within a few weeks. Many other properties are being developed, and as the time for doing assessment work draws to a close, the exodus of owners to their claims makes business brisk for outfitting merchants.

Climbing in Values.

Goldfield's top-notch lease, the Consolidated Red Top, in which a number of Los Angeles investors are interested, seems to be improving daily, according to telegraphic reports received here. Monday's advices were to the effect that assays of ore from the 225-foot level showed $208 in gold, nine and one-half ounces of silver and 2 per cent. lead. On the 300 level, values of $286 were found.

Movements of Mining Men.

J. D. Osborne, one of the old-timers in desert mining, former owner of the famous Tecopa mines, which he sold a few years ago for $250,000, and now operating in the Ord Mountains, is at the United States Hotel.

E. H. Wallace, owner of the Bee group of gold claims in the Avawatz range, west of Silver Lake, San Bernardino county, will leave in a few days for a winter's campaign of development on the property.

Daniel G. Putnam, E. M., registers at the Chamber of Mines from the North Star mine, Kofa district, Arizona. He is stopping at No. 1100 Santee street.

W. Frank Bonneau, one of the original boomers of Rhyolite, later interested in the Virgin oil fields, Utah, and Rawhide, Nev., is registered at the Alexandria from San Francisco.

C. H. Wharton and J. L. Hydes, iron operators, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are at the Alexandria while sizing up the situation in reference to iron lands of the Coast region.

Franklin Leonard, manager for big mining interests at Sutro, Nev., is at the Angelus.

B. A. Fraser, operating the well-known Pichcho mines near the Colorado, above Yuma, is at the Hollenbeck.

J. D. Williams, in the employ of the Detroit Copper Company at Morenci, Ariz., arrived yesterday at the Hollenbeck.

W. T. Owen of Bisbee, Ariz., and James Letson of Sylvanite, N. M., are at the Hollenbeck. Both give good accounts of the prospects developing at Sylvanite, the very latest mining camp on the map.

Judge James Reilly of Tombstone, Ariz., who was the main legal representative of the Costello interests in the fourteen years of litigation over claims which the Bisbee Copper Queen Company coveted, is at the Hollenbeck for an extended stay. He reports copper prospects in Cochise county, particularly in the Dragoon Mountains, as showing decided improvement, with increased development. He also is authority for the statement that the Herschel mine, a silver, lead and gold property, within a half-mile of Tombstone, and owned by Frank Earle and Douglas Gray, of the El Paso smelter, has very recently put on a night shift of eight miners. The mine has a 400-foot shaft and considerable lateral development.

PERSONAL.

F. E. Butler, chief clerk of the Del Monte, is a guest at the Alexandria.

L. A. Rank, an official of the Southern Pacific of San Francisco, is at the Angelus.

John Williams, a mining engineer of Morenci, Ariz., is registered at the Hollenbeck.

K. D. Perkins, an attorney and his wife, of Portland, Or., are at the Westminster for a week.

José Arinaza, accompanied by his wife, is at the Nadeau. He is a mining engineer of Mexico City.

A. C. Reynolds, a mining operator of Las Vegas, Nev., is registered at the Hollenbeck for the week.

P. A. Giraud, a dealer in vehicles, of San Diego, accompanied by his wife, is visiting at the Nadeau.

Leon King, an importer of French and Irish laces, of New York City, is staying at the Alexandria.

K. S. Moores, and wife of Chicago, are sojourning at the Alexandria, while here on their wedding trip.

P. G. Gray, a manufacturer of art goods, of Winchester, Mass., is spending a few days at the Angelus.

Mrs. J. E. Manlove, of San Francisco, is at the Lankershim. She owns the Hotel Cadillac in that city.

Thomas H. Houpt, postmaster of Findlay, O., is registered at the Hayward while here on a pleasure trip.

L. Harkness, Pacific Coast agent of the Erie Railroad, arrived at the Hayward from San Francisco yesterday.

Henry Conlon, chief of the land department of the Southern Pacific, is a late San Francisco arrival at the Alexandria.

Mrs. Joseph Boardman, her small daughter and a maid, came to the Alexandria from San Francisco yesterday.

G. W. Upper and wife are guests at the Hayward. They were married in Seattle several days ago and are spending their honeymoon here.

Pierre Germain and Louis Josse, of Paris, who are making a trip around the world, are registered at the Alexandria while here for a few days.

C. D. Patterson, his wife and daughter, Miss Blanche Patterson, of Streator, Ill., have taken apartments at the Hartford Terrace for the winter.

Mrs. J. N. Reardon and Miss H. O'Neil, tourists at the Westminster, arrived yesterday after a trip down the Coast from Vancouver, B. C., their home.

Mrs. F. H. Allaston and Mrs. H. F. Gibbs of Seattle, are at the Angelus. They came here to visit friends and relatives and will remain several weeks.

George Crearar, manager of the St. Elmo Hotel of Colorado Springs, is a guest at the Hollenbeck. O. T. Richards, a banker of Chicago, is also registered there for a few days.

Kenneth Watson, senior member of the firm of Watson, McCarthy and McWilliams Construction Company of San Francisco, is staying at the Van Nuys while here on special business.

Harry S. Weems, representative of the law department of the Lincoln-Jefferson University of Chicago, is at the Alexandria while here on his annual visit. His wife accompanies him.

John A. Koster and wife, have taken apartments at the Van Nuys for a two weeks' sojourn. Mr. Koster is vice-president and general superintendent of the California Barrel Company of San Francisco.

A party of autoists who drove from Coronado to Los Angeles in the rain, arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday afternoon. It consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Spalding.

Ira Judson Coe of San Francisco, who has been in the southern part of the State looking after his interests, arrived yesterday at the Alexandria. He is an official of the Portland Cement Company at Riverside.

K. Terada and I. Segawa, Japanese officials, registered at the Alexandria from Tokio. They were met by several members of the Japanese colony and were guests at a special entertainment in their honor in the evening.

J. L. Phillips, manager of the Seattle branch of the Gorham Rubber Company of San Francisco, is at the Hayward. Mr. Gorham is also there and they are looking over the ground with a view of establishing a branch here.

The register at the Alexandria showed heavy arrivals of mining people from the Nevada camps and from Arizona yesterday. Among the more prominent of these were Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Baker of Tonopah, Frank Bonneau of Rhyolite, E. M. Flynn of Rawhide and L. R. Wallace of Morenci, Ariz.

Among the more prominent guests at the Lankershim are Lieut. E. L. Sleath, U.S.N., and Mrs. Sleath, who arrived yesterday from the North. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Galbraith and their small son, have taken apartments at the same hostelry. Mr. Galbraith is general manager of the United Wireless Telegraph Company of New York.

HELLENIC SOCIETY.

Students of Greek at Occidental Organize to Promote Interest in Ancient Literature.

The students of the Greek department of Occidental College have organized what will be known as the Hellenic Society, for the promotion of interest in Greek literature, art, antiquities and ideals. Dr. Herbert T. Archibald, head of the Greek department, supervised the organization of the society, and the charter membership consists of forty undergraduates and alumni of Occidental.

The Hellenic Society is the first of its kind in this city. All former and present students of Occidental who have completed the equivalent of four years of high school Greek are eligible for membership. Statuary, pictures and other equipment for the beginning of a Greek museum have been collected. Quarterly meetings will be held, and once each school year there will be a public session, at which essays, lectures and exhibits pertaining to Greek literature and art will be presented. Dramatics also will be a part of the programme. The first public meeting is to be held next May, at which the subject will be "Modern Greece."

An annual publication devoted to the work of the society probably will be issued. In addition to the reports of the meetings, it will contain resumés of important articles in classic journals in such a form as to be of interest to Greek students in high schools and colleges. This work will be in charge of a special committee.

An art committee will seek to bring the society in touch with art societies and to act as a bureau of information for students and others interested in Greek subjects.

President Baer and Dr. Archibald were elected honorary members of the society. The names of the officers follow: President, Margaret Grant, '06; vice-president, Paul Elliott, '09; recording secretary, Rowena Huscroft, '11; corresponding secretary, Dan Hammack, '05; treasurer, Earle Weller, '09.

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Nearly fifty prominent members of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce will be on the excursion which is scheduled to reach here Thursday afternoon, next week. Its promoters frankly admit that they want to get pointers by observing the methods employed by the local chamber, and to learn how this section accomplishes so many big things with so little friction.

The visitors will be taken on an automobile ride about the city, and those who wish may take in the Balloon Route trip to the beaches. In the evening a public reception will be given in the Chamber of Commerce.

Among the San Franciscans expected on the excursion are: George N. Armsby of the J. K. Armsby Co.; P. E. Bowles, president of the American National Bank; W. A. Bissell, assistant traffic manager of the Santa Fé; Dr. Rupert Blue of the Marine Hospital Service; Bruce Bonny, vice-president of Shreve & Co.; E. E. Calvin, vice-president and general manager of the Southern Pacific; Charles Carpy, president of the French-American Bank; A. B. Dohrmann, vice-president of the Nathan-Dohrmann Co.; Henry Dernham, manager of the Emporium; W. J. Dutton, president Firemen's Fund Insurance Company; James J. Fagan, vice-president Crocker National Bank; Charles S. Fee, traffic manager Southern Pacific; T. C. Friedlander, secretary of the Merchants' Exchange; J. D. Grant, Murphy-Grant & Co., Marshall Hale, Homer S. King, W. L. Hathaway, J. A. Folger, William Haas, H. A. Jones, Leon Blum, D. Ghirardelli, C. Mason Kinne, George P. Lyon, Walter S. Martin, Charles C. Moore, C. E. Michaels, M. Hall McAllister, W. E. Palmer, James Woods, and Henry T. Scott.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

Experts Will Speak Tonight on the Best Ways to Fight Spread of Tuberculosis.

A public meeting will be held in Choral Hall, Auditorium building, at 8 o'clock tonight, under the auspices of the Los Angeles Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. Dr. George L. Cole, the president, will give a brief introduction. Dr. L. M. Powers of the City Health Department, will speak on "The Municipality and Tuberculosis;" Dr. D. C. Barber will talk about "The County Hospital and Tuberculosis;" Dr. Y. Jarvis Barlow, director of the Barlow Sanitorium for Poor Consumptives, "The Sanitorium and Tuberculosis."

Other speakers are C. B. Boothe, president of the California Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, "Organized Effort and Tuberculosis;" Dr. F. C. E. Mattison, chairman of the Public Health Commission of the Medical Society of California, "The Sanitarian and Tuberculosis;" Dr. F. M. Pottenger of Pottenger Sanatorium, "Lay Coöperation and Tuberculosis;" Dr. George H. Kress, visiting physician to the Los Angeles Helping Station for Indigent Consumptives, "Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis."

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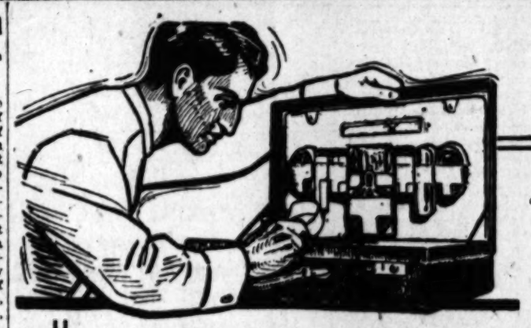

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Part II: Editorial and Business—City and Country

Editorial Pen Points

Perhaps one of the most satisfied men over the election of William H. Taft is his brother Charlie.

Col. Greene, Tom Johnson and some others appear to be in shape to form a society for mutual sympathy.

"Do hedgehogs milk cows?" asks a London paper. If they do, no farmer's boy can be induced to kill them.

Dr. Parkhurst's attack on the Merry Widow hat comes a little late. The thing has quite gone out of style.

Mr. Rockefeller's testimony in court has proven a good deal more interesting than his articles in the magazines.

Mr. Hisgen declares that he will not run again. Why say "again?" Does the vote show that he ever really ran?

If you will follow the news closely you will see that Mr. Taft is visited at Hot Springs by several hot numbers.

We note that there is a feeling against Americans in Hayti. The thing for Hayti to do is not to get haughty.

We fear that Ohio is again in the field for about all the Federal appointments that will be at Mr. Taft's disposal.

It is not easy to get something for nothing, but very often his last wills and testaments something is given to nothing.

The women who frequent Santa Anita Park must have had a hard time keeping their complexions on during the past two days.

When Richard Croker was asked for an opinion on Mr. Bryan's candidacy in 1912 he merely blew his nose. Words failed him.

No matter what new sensations San Francisco experiences, she always keeps the old Spring Valley water question to fall back on.

A man—or a woman, for that matter—should do everything to be loved without going so far as to figure in the light of an affinity.

The man who plays the ponies and goes broke should take his medicine, and not break into the newspapers to play for public sympathy.

There should be no quarrel between Los Angeles and San Francisco. There is plenty of room for both towns in the big, long State of California.

"Milk costs 18 cents a quart in Bolivia," states the Baltimore American. Cheap enough, but the railroad fare from here to Bolivia is prohibitive.

We have always found it difficult to understand how Mr. Rockefeller manages to get so much enjoyment out of golf. He never takes a highball.

The word "graft" in the Austrian vernacular means hard work. It is getting to mean much the same thing in this country, we are happy to say.

When one hears the names by which some children have been christened it is hard to believe that their parents felt the love they professed for them.

If the controversy between Castellane and De Sagan continues to increase in bitterness, we look to see Boni make a rush at Helie and spit on him again.

A man in Pennsylvania died the other day from drinking indelible ink. Some people have stomachs so delicate that they seem to be unable to stand anything.

Speaking of infrequent occurrences, have you ever met a man who could name all the Vice-Presidents of the United States without looking in a book?

The Washington Post recently published an article on "The Mission of Poetry." Nobody ever takes the trouble to write about the price of poetry.

We don't believe that England could induce a million of her sons to join a standing army, even if Rudyard Kipling were to write a poem on the subject.

The Boston Herald announces that "there are three spirits in modern life." But there is no end to the drinks that can be mixed out of that simple trio of fluids.

To our way of thinking, the worm that eats its way into a piece of cheese is a scholar and a gentleman compared to the parasite who fastens himself on society.

A school has been started to teach Chicago women how to get off a street car properly. It seems to be absolutely necessary to train Chicago women how to handle their feet.

The scientists are out again with a severe condemnation of kissing. They insist that the practice causes disease. And yet we think that it really causes more trouble than sickness.

Where does Lord Roberts suppose Great Britain is to get the money to support a standing army of 1,000,000 men? And even if the money were forthcoming, where are the men to come from?

The London Spectator says it costs from $50,000 down to get to be a member of the British Parliament. More expensive than running for Congress in this country, except in isolated cases, like that of Simon Guggenheim.

WHERE HOARY SUPERSTITION REIGNS.

Poor little Pu Yi, the baby Emperor of China, has been crowned. He may be supposed to have ceased crying for his old slave nurse and become reconciled in part to the gorgeous surroundings of his new home in the imperial palace.

Coronation meant less to this unfortunate babe than a new rattle, or a piece of bright silk ribbon to twist in his tiny fingers. Outside of China the ceremony meant nothing more to any grown-up person than to the baby. China is old as time, but as full of superstition as it was ten centuries ago. Babes have been crowned before at as tender ages as Pu Yi. A royal infant, heir to the throne of Persia, was once crowned before it was born. Ancient Persia was, in a way, as civilized as China is now. Ancient Persia and modern China might boast arts more highly developed than anything in Europe or America today. But Persia crowned its unborn prince, relying on superstition to make the ceremony binding, as China does little Pu Yi.

Where real enlightenment rules, children are not crowned. Where the right of succession is established, a regent is appointed, and law protects the heir, not superstition. A baby prince in a country where law is supreme is safe through his legal rights. In due time, if he lives, he becomes monarch in person, and the regent gives place. The Emperor of Germany died, leaving his throne to a mere boy. Not all the power and prestige of the great Bismarck could stand one day against the will of William II.

Pu Yi will never be Emperor in more than name. His predecessor lived to a fairly good age, but he never rose to a step in life above the role of puppet. That is just what Pu Yi is heir to. His guardian is ruler, and will take care that his ward will have enough candy, birds' nest pudding, gewgaws, trinkets, pleasures and amusements to keep him in a condition of contented tutelage at first and of dissatisfied bondage later not to trouble China much with his personality. The new guardian is not astute Tsi An, but is a shrewd old Chinaman, who loves power well enough not to let it slip out of his hands to be picked up by a baby.

But, crowned and seated on the dragon throne, Pu Yi, the baby who wept so bitterly for his old slave nurse a week ago, becomes a god. All the sacred majesty of divinity hedges him around, crying or laughing, eating well-boiled rice. No Chinaman will dare lay sacrilegious hands on the sacred person of this divine ruler of the Central Kingdom, the Son of Heaven.

Educated Chinamen may be very tolerant of one another's creeds, finding common ground in their reason. But, for all this, few of them have escaped from the fetters of their faith in ancestral worship and the immanence at all moments in their life of the spirits of their fathers. This little Pu Yi, made Emperor by all the customs of China, duly consecrated and crowned, becomes the embodiment of the spiritual essence of his ancestors, and they all are gods. That will spread a protective aegis over the baby, who weeps for his nurse, and will make him an effectual figurehead through which his guardian will rule China. The hand of the assassin may attack the regent if he does not mind his p's and q's. But the sacred person of Baby Pu Yi will not be touched.

MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM TARIFFS.

The English press is greatly concerned about the American tariff policy of maximum and minimum tariffs. The Republican national platform did not disturb the British, for it declared simply that the dual schedules should apply the low rates to countries which practice no discrimination against American products, and the maximum where there is such discrimination. But shortly after the election the correspondent in this country of the London Standard wrote his paper that a modification of this policy was contemplated, so that the minimum tariffs would apply to such countries as make concessions to American goods, and the maximum where no such concessions are granted.

The United Kingdom does not discriminate against our goods at home or in her colonies, but has one law for goods from all countries. At home the policy is practically free trade for all. In the colonies it is a pretty stiff tariff on imports from all countries. The Standard thinks it hard that English goods should be penalized at home where free trade prevails, and also in the colonies, working under their protective tariffs. The London paper is at a loss to find a way to avoid this proposed penalty.

No wonder. We are going to experience much difficulty ourselves under a dual tariff. When a straight rate of duty was levied on goods and no discrimination made, all countries were equally satisfied, or equally dissatisfied. There was no jealousy, because there was no room for any. England is in the position of absolute fairness in her treatment of all her neighbors with whom she does business. This is true in the home market and in the colonies. It is manifest to the merchants and manufacturers of England that to depart from the policy of equality will stir up trouble. There will be friction, reprisals, endless complaints. British statesmen see possible international disputes between their government and those of countries against which the discrimination might be made.

This is not a nightmare, as we know. In every case in which we have granted preferential duties to goods from one country we have seen jealousies develop among the people of other countries. We made a reciprocal treaty with France recently, and the Germans at once sent over so many complaints that we were practically forced to make a trade compact with that country as favorable as ours with France.

The dilemma has two long, sharp horns. If we do not grant concessions to all countries which will put each on a trade level as favorable as with any competing country, we must be ready to meet reprisals which will in the end cut off all trade between our country and the one penalized. The trouble may reach far. "Touch a man's pocket and you touch him where he lives." Men aggregated into nations are not changed in temperament. The penalized people will become hostile. Their enmity may be serious in given circumstances. The influence at present working strong for universal peace is commerce. Nations whose present interests are to keep peace with us become those whose interests will be to make war on us.

On the other hand, if we grant these concessions to all who ask them, and cut off all occasion for jealousy and reprisals, we shall, before long, have put all our competitors in the most favored nation list, which will be the same as making one tariff for all, and that the lowest possible.

This is to give up half or more of all the benefits we hold to come from tariff protection. Of course, this is a modification of the old reciprocity idea, which has been discussed for many years. We began this agitation a generation ago, and the application of the principle has been slow. American business men and wage-earners have found protection of the home market against foreign invasion works so admirably that they have not been disposed to disturb conditions by tampering with new theories, whose effects can only be seen when they are set to work. Well-presented theories are like well-groomed horses. They may not be so good as they look.

Well, we have made wonderful progress as an industrial nation under this policy of straight tariff, the same for all goods, without inquiry as to whence they come, and high enough to secure for us our home market. Now we are at a point where we must get a market abroad for some of our surplus products. In the case of our farm products we have had no difficulty. Europe needs our breadstuffs, meats and cotton too much to shut out any market from us. Now we must export finished products which will meet strong competition in goods made in other countries. These new conditions will call for some changes in our tariff policies from time to time.

But the adjustment of the schedules to these new conditions will demand much study. There will be difficulties to meet and many of them will confront us suddenly and unexpectedly. We shall have to feel our way very carefully. The advocates of tariff protection never had a harder problem before them than today. In their own ranks will be found many who jump at conclusions, and who see things in a light scarcely different from that of the avowed wearer of free-trade spectacles. While concessions will be necessary, and changes must be made, the man who goes slowly is the one who will not be obliged to retrace his steps or be lost. Keep the hands of impractical theorists off of the tariff and let it be revised by practical men of affairs who know the subject to its deepest roots.

The country is in great need of a William McKinley or a Nelson Dingley, Jr. Who will be the man?

AWAITING THE EXPLOSION.

THAT CHRISTMAS THEATER PARTY.

The way for a boy or girl to win a ticket to the great spectacular performance of "Ben-Hur" is to write 150 words describing or commenting on that religious masterpiece, which came from the inspired pen of Gen. Lew Wallace. Of course, you must be a student in some one of the schools of Los Angeles—public, parochial or private school, it does not matter which. But as to what age you are, it makes no difference. The contest is open to the older as well as to the younger students.

We shall be greatly surprised if some of the 200 tickets are not won by those who never had an idea that they had a talent for writing. And it is one commendable feature of this contest that it is likely to bring out the latent talent of some future literary genius—a talent that might never have even budded if The Times had not encouraged it.

What our boys and girls and young men and young women who are students in the schools should do is to grasp this opportunity to prove whether or not they have the ability to write. It is not a hard task they thus set themselves, since the composition is to be not longer than 150 words.

Every young person should attempt, at least, to make secure a certain mastery of the art of composition. Not only literary workers, but all men and women in business and social life find it necessary to be able to state their thoughts lucidly and correctly in writing. This "Ben-Hur" contest gives our young folks a chance to see what they can do.

Best of all, perhaps, the contest opens the way for a large number of poor students to see the wonderful spectacle—those who could not otherwise see it because of a want of money. The Times shall be glad if a majority of the winners are poor boys and girls.

A FRENCH FAD.

That is a dangerous experiment about to be tried in a French court, by which an unwilling witness in a criminal case is to be submitted to hypnotic influence in order to get her testimony.

Let us concede that men eminent in what is called science believe in hypnotism. That does not establish the fact. Science is knowledge, and exact science involves accurate knowledge. Science owes its greatest progress in some degree to enthusiasts. Scientific students must work by a tentative theory. Many of them generalize too quickly. A student of intoxication finds in an asylum that 40 per cent. of the imbeciles had drunken parents. From this he concludes that drunkenness results in idiotic offspring. But 60 per cent. of the defectives were born of sober parents. Why not conclude that sobriety is a more prolific parent of idiots than drunkenness?

Hypnotism, as a science, is too inadequately established at the present time to make it a safe basis for legal procedure. There is too great doubt about the subject to hang life and death on its results.

Hypnotists have been, until lately, rank fakers; many of them are so still. Until the science is brought to a stage of greater development, do not let it condemn one to death.

Too bad, isn't it, that we can't all do as we please—harmlessly, of course—in this world; so that the man who loves to wander were not forever tied up at home, and that the man who loves home would not be forced to wander.

Of course, when it is said that the United States and Japan will preserve the "integrity" of China, the term is used in a diplomatic sense. China has always taken great care to preserve her own integrity.

THREE OF A KIND.

Taylor got on the subject of modesty one night at the Press Club, according to the Detroit News-Tribune.

"Practically all acts of charity," said he, "are performed out of vanity. Modest charity is very rare, yet it is the only sort that counts, you know, with the—er—Recording Angel, eh? I remember once, motoring in the East, I came to a small town that had suffered from a flood. In the empty post-office there was a contribution box for the food sufferers.

"Not a soul was present. Nobody saw me or knew me. I pushed a $20 bill into the box and slipped away unseen. And that act, I claim, that modest act of charity, was worth more than these acts involving many thousands, which are made on public subscription lists, to the loud fanfare of trumpets."

Taylor paused and relighted his cigar. His companion said:

"Quite right. Yours was genuine modest charity, Taylor. No wonder you brag about it."

Would Change the Bill.

A repertoire company was walking into Paducah, says the Saturday Evening Post, where they were billed to play "Romeo and Juliet." The leading man approached the manager, who strode moodily ahead on the ties.

"Boss," he said, "I've got to have 15 cents."

"Fifteen cents?" growled the manager. "You're always yelling for money. What do you want 15 cents for?"

"What do I want 15 cents for?" repeated the leading man, bitterly. "I want it for a shave, that's what I want it for. I can't play Romeo with five days' black beard on my face."

"Oh, well," said the manager, "you won't get no 15 cents. We'll change the bill to 'Othello.'"

He Was Shooting to Win.

The officers' mess was discussing rifle shooting.

"I'll bet any one here," said one young lieutenant, "that I can fire twenty shots at 200 yards and call each shot correctly without waiting for the marker. I'll stake a box of cigars that I can."

"Done!" cried a major.

The whole mess was on hand early next morning to see the experiment tried.

The lieutenant fired.

"Miss," he calmly announced.

A second shot.

"Miss," he repeated.

A third shot.

"Miss."

"Here, there! Hold on," protested the major. "What are you trying to do? You are not shooting for the target at all."

"Of course not," admitted the lieutenant. "I'm firing for those cigars." And he got them.

SCIENCE NOTES.

Danger in Ribbons.

Unforeseen dangers lurk in unsuspected places. Poisonous ribbons are the latest foe to the health of the occupants of the nursery. Danger may lurk unseen in the pretty bows that decorate the baby's bonnet. The London Daily Mail cites an instance of dangerous poisoning of a child that sucked a short piece of green-colored ribbon with which its mother had trimmed its white hood and cape. Had the child been weakly it would probably have died from the convulsions caused by the poisoned ribbon, but prompt treatment saved its life. Much of the coloring matter used today is of chemical combination instead of vegetable product, the reduced expense of the chemical colors having given their use a decided impetus with manufacturers.

Can One Live Forever.

The student of longevity is attracting much attention at the present time, and confirmative evidence that the average span of life can be lengthened is found in the number of persons now living in the different countries who have passed considerably beyond the century mark. Charles Brodie Patterson, who has made a special study of this subject, recently told the Medico-Legal Society that if it were possible to increase the length of life by ten or twenty years it is possible to increase it indefinitely. One of the aids he cited to this indefinite extension of life is the need of paying greater attention to the inner world, cultivating the spirit of life.

The Search for Rubber.

The enormous demand for rubber has sent scientific men on a world-wide hunt for additional sources of the same. The product of the guayule plant has been recently exploited. Now a tree has been discovered in Mexico, a member of the fig family, which the chemists find will produce 10 per cent. of rubber and 40 per cent. of varnish and soap material. The cost of the rubber product from this tree being reported at 6 cents a pound, while the commercial price of rubber is 80 cents a pound. The quality of the rubber is pronounced superior to that obtained from the guayule plant, while the by-products will more than pay for its extraction.

Insects and Leprosy.

Prof. Ehlers of Copenhagen, an authority on leprosy, is organizing a scientific expedition to the Danish West Indies, with the object to determine the part played by blood-sucking insects and bugs, especially fleas, in the dissemination of leprosy. The expedition is to consist of an equal number of Danish and French workers. Prof. Ehlers is one of the most eminent scientists in Europe in his line of research. With the aid of French co-workers the expedition is expected to develop interesting features connected with the dissemination of leprosy. There are apparently different causes for leprous conditions, observers of the disease in the Philippines believing that it is one of the results of a fish exclusively fish diet. The fact that leprous persons are found in many different countries, under almost totally different conditions also offers confirmative evidence of this theory.

The Deep Breathing Cure.

The importance of deep breathing to consumptives is emphasized by the Pall Mall Gazette, which cites the case of a boy who was consumptive and was rapidly going along the road to the grave when taken in hand by one who understood deep breathing and the importance of proper mastication of food, etc. He was made to understand precisely why deep breathing was of such vital importance and he took a lively interest in his own cure. He was 14 years old. In a very few weeks the change was remarkable. He began to get firm flesh on his poor little limbs, his chest developed well, and a healthy color came into his cheeks. His eyes, which were always covered with sties, became perfectly free from them, and in three months or less there were no signs of consumption in him.

HOROSCOPE.

Friday, December 4, 1908.

BY COZETTE.

Now Mercury with Saturn stands to show
A helpful light to us that toil below.

On this 339th day the moon is in the constellation Aries, sign of Taurus. Mercury is in trine with Saturn. Venus is in her greatest heliocentric latitude north.

An excellent period for written or printed communication, especially if concerned with the earth, metals, houses or travel.

A good time for letters between or to elderly persons.

Authors, printers, orators, agents, commission men, artificers and other ingenious workmen, teachers and railroad or steamboat employés should find this a favorable time.

Deal in metals, minerals or other products of the earth.

Engagements, weddings and wedding journeys are under a good sign.

Luck should be with those in the business of supplying the wants of women.

A promising day for household affairs, whether social or connected with the kitchen.

Women with this birthdate must beware of impetuous speech in a matter in which they are right. The unmarried will be wooed.

Men with this birthdate must be cautious. Speculative schemes promise them no gains. Those in employment must avoid jealousy against office superiors. If they engage in intrigue it will turn against them.

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Our Leather Goods Department is crowded with the newest importations in foreign novelties and the better qualities of American manufactures. We submit the following few illustrations of prices:

Silver Fitted Hand Bags from $85.00. Seal and Pigskin Dress Sets, Cases, with silver fittings, from $50.00. Doctors' Bags from $15.00. Men's Hand Bags from $12.00. Women's Hand Bags from $12.00. Automobile Bags, silver fittings, from $20.00. Women's Shopping Bags from $6.00. Gold Mounted Card Cases from $6.00. Gold Mounted Men's Card Cases from $5.00. Gold Mounted Letter Books from $7.00. Bridge Whist Sets, silver mounted, from $8.00. Doctor's Prescription Books from $4.00. Engagement Books from $4.00. Shriners', Elks', Masonic, Knights of Columbus, Eagles' Membership Card Cases.

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—Boys' and Children's School Shoes, $1.75 to $4.00.
—Boys' Knee Pants, 50c to $3.50.

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BACHELORS WORST EVIL.

Woman Temperance Lecturer Says Unmarried Men Are Real Curse of Life.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LYNN (Mass.) Dec. 3.—Mrs. Leonora Lake of St. Louis, one of the leading temperance lecturers of the country, who spoke at a big no-license rally here, last night, nearly created a panic among 2000 ardent temperance reformers, when she announced from the platform that she had changed her mind about drink being the worst evil of the country, and denounced bachelorhood as being worse, and bachelors as being worse than "hellions who run drink dives."

A storm of hisses greeted her words. "It is the bachelor who today is the great evil of America," she said. "It is the bachelor who fosters the rum evil and who spends his time in dives. It is habits he learns as a bachelor that ruin him as a married man. Reformers will soon drop the rum evil for a while and devote their attention to this one crying need—more husbands.

"If men can only be made to see that their after life all depends on an early marriage, that with a good home and a good wife, life will be easy, then there will be no need for us to fight the drink evil. It will die of itself."

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Mme. Tanette, the expert corsetiere sent here by the makers of "Bon Ton" and "Royal Worcester" corsets, is disillusionizing many women who were under the impression that they could not be perfectly fitted in any but the extremely costly corsets.
(Main floor, rear of annex.)

Misses' $20 to $27.50 Suits On Sale Saturday at $15

Not the styles of long ago, either—they are the most popular long-coat styles of THIS season, fresh from the maker's tables.

Valuations are not exaggerated.

The offering is made possible by our good fortune in getting a liberal discount on the surplus stock of a maker who over-estimated his outlet.

14, 16 and 18-year sizes in a variety of strictly high-class materials, splendidly tailored.

Many of them are just what is wanted by adult women of slight stature.

On sale Saturday in rear of annex.

Boys' Clothing
At Little Above Half
On Sale Saturday

$7.50 and $8.50 blouse Suits of really handsome materials in Fall weights and patterns at $4.95.

And the $10 and $12.50 grades at $6.50 Five to ten year sizes.

Boys' $5 to $7.50 Reefers in a varitey of rich stylish coatings—3 to 10 year sizes—at $3.50.

Knee-pant Suits with single or double-breasted costs—All of sturdy, stylish mixtures, and splendidly tailored—suits that will stand a surprising amount of hard usage,—8 to 16 year sizes.—regularly $8.50 to $12.50—on sale tomorrow at $6.50.

Misses' $20 to $35 Coats On Sale Saturday at . . . $15

Long coats of rich broadcloths and fancy coatings beautifully trimmed; some half lined with Skinner satin; others full-lined with taffeta or satin.

Reds, blues, tans, champagne and cloth of gold.

Were $20 to $35.

Choice of the lot, tomorrow, for fifteen dollars.

12 to 18 year sizes, many of them ideal for slight or small women.

Children's $5 to $10 Bearskin coats at $3.95 and the $12.50 to $20 grades at $7.50. Browns, reds, greys, white and black.
(Main Floor. Rear of Annex.)

Gift-worthy Jewelry

Appropriate gift articles of undoubted excellence—the finest to be found anywhere at anywhere near like prices.

Vanity cases of Florentine Enamel, $6, $10 and $12.50.
Vanity boxes and card cases combined—German silver; sterling silver; gold plate combined with Florentine enamel; solid enamel $12.50 to $50.
Card cases of German silver and gold plate, $18 to $25.
Gold-plated Coin Purses, $10 and $12.50.
Bon-Bon Boxes, $1.25 to $15.
Sterling Silver Mesh Bags, $20 to $75.
German Silver Mesh Bags, $12.50 to $25.
18-carat gold-plate Mesh Bags—good for at least 25 years' wear—one hundred to two hundred and fifty dollars.
Solid gold Mesh Bags, three and four hundred dollars.
(Facing Broadway Entrance.)

Newberry's

New Sauer Kraut, fine crisp cabbage, per lb., 10c.; three pounds.....25c

Weiner Sausage, own make fresh daily; per lb.....10c

Swiss Cheese, genuine imported; of delicious flavor; per lb.....40c

Delicious Sweet Cider from York State; gallon.....35c

Curtice Bros. Blue Label Soups:
Half Pints.....2 cans 15c
Pints.....2 cans 25c
Quarts.....2 cans 45c

The prices quoted in our "Weekly" on Fresh Meats should interest all where quality and price are considered.

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Fancy silk rubberized raincoats, in stripes, $15.00; plain satins, $12.50 and $17.50; moire and like styles up to $42.50 each. And they're thoroughly shower-proof, as well as handsome.

Fine Jewelry Pieces 50c
Worth Double, and More

Not fifty-cent jewelry by any means. Priced at regular fair valuations, anything in the collection would be worth a third more; some of the pieces three and four times as much as we ask now. Reason? They're sample lines of the smartest novelties.

Belt buckles, belt pins, cuff links, scarf pins, hat pins, brooches, necklaces, waist sets for babies' or women's garments; made in hammered brass, gunmetal, silver oxidized metals; gold, sterling silver, etc., and many of the articles set with jade, turquoise, and like semi-precious gems. You may select safely from them and pay only.....50c

Pay Less for Underwear

Whenever we determine to close out any line of goods we take stern measures with their prices. For instance—

Women's silk vests, heavy weight, high neck, long sleeves, finest imported qualities; sold regularly at $5; now.....$4.00

Women's wool and cotton vests and drawers; regularly 75c, and worth it; now.....50c

Draperies and Rugs
Attractively Priced

From our big Third Floor Rug and Drapery Section come the following attractive items for shrewd shoppers:

Japanese crepes, in fancy colors; regularly 20c, for.....15c yd.
Silkoline, regularly 15c, now.....9c
Silkosheen, regularly 10c, now.....6c
Sofa pillows, regularly 80c, now.....40c
72-inch extension curtain rods; regularly 35c; now.....20c
Couch covers, regularly $6.00; now.....$3.50
Heavy cable net curtains, regularly $2; now..$1.25
Axminster carpet and border, regularly $1.65, made, laid and lined for.....$1.25
9x12 Axminster rugs; regularly $21.85, for..$18.00
27x54-in. Axminster rugs; regularly $2.50, for..$1.75
Carpet samples, worth $1.75, for.....$1.00

Gifts of Fancy Linens
Save Full Half

Needless to ask if women will appreciate a saving of exactly half on the very sorts of fancy linens that everybody is asking for: these drawnwork pieces came to us at a fraction of what they usually cost, and we give you the benefit of the saving:

Finest qualities of Japanese linen drawnwork pieces—table covers and scarfs—in a wide variety of designs, and in all sizes, in table covers, from 18 to 72 inches; in scarfs from 18x27 inches to 18x72 inches. Their regular prices would be between $1.00 and $4.50 each; you may take your choice at just half.....50c to $2.25
(Art Needlework Section)

Gifts for Men

Many women think it much easier to select presents for women than for men—but you can't go wrong in choosing any of the following:

Men's house coats, lounging robes, bath robes, coat sweaters, neckwear of every good sort, silk hosiery, silk umbrellas, dress or negligee shirts, gloves—in short, any thing selected from this well-stocked and strictly up-to-date Men's Furnishing Section ought to please the most fastidious man.

Ask to see our guaranteed half hose; they are new and better.

Buy Babies' Bedding Here

Let other people give the children trashy presents: YOU select something worth while. For example—

Buy bedding for the babies' beds; little mattresses to fit bassinettes, of soft, clean floss, covered with mercerized French satine, in any color you like; pillows made to match, filled with floss or down; little quilted pads to protect the mattress; tiny sheets and pillow cases; little lambs' wool blankets, of first size; with light blue or pink borders, or with "Baby" woven in the border; novelty baby blankets, too, in Teddy Bear, Santa Claus, Mother Goose, etc.; and finally tiny silk comforts filled with softest lambs' wool, and Marseilles satin or crochet spreads, to cover all.

For children's beds and cribs we have the next larger sizes in everything, from 2 ft. 6 inches by 4 ft. size and larger. And in this popular size we can provide you with the genuine Ostermoor crib mattress.

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RAILROAD RECORD.

THROUGH TRAIN FOR IMPERIAL.

Residents of Valley Want Night Service.

Three Days and Two Nights for Trip Now.

Commercial Bodies Petition the Railroad.

A night train to and from Los Angeles to the Imperial Valley is what the inhabitants of that region are asking of the Southern Pacific. Petitions signed by thousands are circulated by the Imperial Valley Chamber of Commerce at El Centro, and by the local trade organizations at El Centro, Holtville, Calexico, Brawley and Imperial.

What is wanted is a train leaving Calexico, on the Mexican border, about 6 o'clock p.m., carrying through sleepers, and reaching Los Angeles at a reasonably early morning hour, and another train leaving this city about the same time in the evening and arriving at valley towns next morning. In this way travel should be greatly increased, as ranchmen could come and go with the loss of only one day from business, and city men could visit the valley on the same conditions.

At present, though there are two trains going east from Los Angeles to El Paso, passing through Imperial Junction, only one connects with the branch line. All passengers must change cars there, for though there are some 20,000 people in the valley, all dependent upon Los Angeles as their trade and business center and nearest city, there is no through train for their benefit, not even a special coach. They believe they are entitled to a service direct to their towns, instead of a mere hobtail branch line train.

The only train now leaves Calexico at 5 o'clock a.m., Imperial at 6:20 o'clock, connects with the main-line train from the east at 8:15 o'clock, and reaches Los Angeles at 4:50 o'clock p.m., too late to transact any business. The only train connecting for Imperial and Calexico leaves this city at 8:05 o'clock a.m., so one must take another entire day for business here, whether required or not. The return trip takes an entire day, Imperial being reached at 4:37 o'clock, Calexico at 5:45 o'clock p.m. Thus three whole days and two nights are needed for the trip, an outrageous imposition, the valley people think. There is a train out of Los Angeles at 1 o'clock p.m., but it does not connect for Imperial Valley points.

A better service, it is contended, means not only more convenience for those now traveling, and their number is large, but also a big increase and a large gain for Los Angeles, the Imperial Valley and the railroad. The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce has been asked to take the matter up with the railroad at this end.

LOCAL RAILROADS.

NO SAN PEDRO TERMINAL RATE.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS SAY NO ACTION IN SIGHT.

Espee and Salt Lake Considering Request of Such on Hawaii Trade, but Law Demands Thirty Days Notice Beforehand—New Tariff in no Way Affects Matter.

The report that San Pedro is to be granted terminal rates in the immediate future by the Southern Pacific and the Salt Lake is denied by officials of these roads, who state that while the question has been agitated for some time, no definite decision has been reached.

According to the report such rates have already been granted East San Pedro by the Salt Lake on export and import freight, which were to be applied within the next ten days on a shipment to the Hawaiian Islands, when the Alden Bessie, now taking on cargo at San Pedro, sails for Honolulu. Officials of the Salt Lake state that they are trying to arrange to give San Pedro the same advantages as San Francisco, San Diego and Seattle in handling this Hawaiian business, and hope to be able to grant terminal rates on through shipments east from Hawaii. This matter is now being considered and some action will be taken within the next few months. It was stated that it is improbable that anything will be done for two or three months at least. They claim the change in rates would have to be carried out under the law, which requires thirty days' notice, and then an additional thirty days would be required to shape the matter, thus it would be impossible to arrange it within thirty or sixty days.

The question which the Salt Lake is now considering is simply the granting of special rates to San Pedro and applying only to exports and imports from Hawaii, which will enable that port to handle this Hawaiian trade on an equal basis with the other California terminals.

No consideration is given at present to rates covering any other territory than Hawaii, nor of general application of terminal rates to San Pedro, nor has it been definitely decided that these will be granted to cover this particular business, but if so it will not include any other section. Mexico and Central American points will not be affected. The Alden Bessie will carry a shipment of local freight and no through stuff on the coming trip, and no terminal rates will apply.

It can be stated positively that the tariff effective January 1, 1909, does not make a terminal point out of San Pedro, and that while the agitation with reference to terminal rates covering these Hawaiian shipments may prove the opening wedge for a later consideration of their general application to Los Angeles's harbor city, at present that question is not being considered by the Salt Lake.

At the Southern Pacific offices it was stated that while the question had been taken up with that road by the San Pedro merchants, and was now being considered, no definite action had been taken and San Pedro is not included as a terminal in the tariff effective January 1. The California terminals south of the Tehachepi as shown by that tariff are San Diego, Los Angeles and National City.

No changes in San Pedro rates covering either general shipments or the particular Hawaiian freights have been filed and, so far as known, none will be promulgated for some time.

Central American Work.

Railway building is active in Mexico and Central America just now, according to all reports. With the Southern Pacific rushing work south of Culiacan and the Pan-American pushing construction from Tapachula near the Guatemalan frontier, news is received of the celebration of the birthday, November 21, of President Estrada Cabrera of Guatemala, by the driving of the first spike on the Zacapa line, and the starting of a preliminary survey for a line which is to be built from the Pacific Coast to Quezaltenango, and is intended to open up a very rich section adjacent to this metropolis of Western Guatemala. Quesaltenango is about seventy miles from Guatemala City in a northwesterly direction, and has an exceedingly rich tributary territory. The Zacapa line is ultimately destined to connect with lines running to the Salvador border.

Fresno Division Terminal.

By a change just put into effect on the Southern Pacific San Joaquin Valley line the track between Fresno and Mendota will hereafter be under the western division, with headquarters at Oakland. This is on the main route to San Francisco and hitherto it has been on the San Joaquin division. The change means that more crews will lay over at the Raisin City and reduce the trackage under the jurisdiction of Superintendent Worthington at Bakersfield.

Burkhalter Succeeds Titcomb.

F. L. Burkhalter, resident engineer at Bakersfield, has been appointed resident engineer for the Los Angeles division, Southern Pacific, effective December 1. He succeeds H. B. Titcomb, promoted to district engineer, vice A. De Haur resigned to accept the managership of the Associated Pipe Line Company of San Francisco. F. D. Nauman takes the place vacated by Mr. Burkhalter.

Agent at El Paso.

A. W. Cheesman has been appointed general agent for the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio at El Paso, effective December 1, succeeding A. W. Reeves, resigned. Mr. Reeves will enter other business. Mr. Cheesman was formerly agent at El Paso for the same company.

Railroad Briefs.

A rate of $2.35 to Riverside and return, December 5, on account of the dedication of the Masonic Hall at that place, is announced by the Santa Fé. Tickets are good for return December 9.

H. N. Butterfield, Pacific Coast agent of Lackawanna lines, with headquarters in San Francisco, is in the city.

H. O. Wilson, general agent for the Union Pacific, this city, will return from San Diego today.

A. Pothamus, of the Canadian Pacific, and Grove Ketchum of the Washington Sunset line, are in San Diego.

Fred G. Herr, district freight and passenger agent of the U. P., in this city, who has been ill for some time, is recovering rapidly and will soon be out.

James H. P. Mason, traveling passenger agent of the Washington-Sunset Route, will leave today for points north on business. He will make a short stay at San Francisco before returning.

H. N. Sears, traveling passenger agent of the Rock Island-Frisco lines, is spending a few days in San Diego.

H. E. Moores, general agent of the passenger department of the Wabash, with headquarters at Omaha, with his wife, is at the Alexandria

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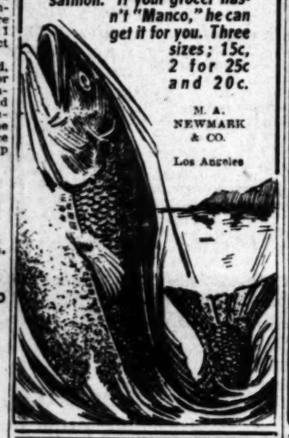

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WARSHIP HELPLESS.

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water boat along side. Pardon, but that is foolishness.

"This bay is wonderful as a harbor. When the canal is built through the Isthmus of Panama, it will become one of the greatest shipping points in the world, certainly the greatest on this Coast, in my opinion. But to keep a ship lying here, detained for want of fresh water, is not good business.

"Tomorrow I shall perhaps go to Venice—if I can get fresh water here." Throwing his hands in a broad, French gesture, the commodore swept the glittering bay and the swelling hills along shore. "Beautiful! hein! Very beautiful. Landlocked, safe, but no water."

THE COMPANY'S SIDE.

The assertion of Commodore Buchard that his ship has been kept without water for the past five days without sufficient cause, was denied by Edward Mahar, superintendent of the Banning Company of San Pedro.

Mr. Mahar said last night he had sent fifty tons of water to the French cruiser last Monday morning, and yesterday he received an additional order for as much more. He sent out his tug El Aguador, but found that the undertow was running so strongly that it would have been dangerous to bring her along side of the warship.

El Aguador is a steel tank boat and has no fenders to protect her sides in a sea way. The additional fifty tons of water will be sent out to the Catinat this morning, said Mr. Mahar.

W. F. Brickenbach, secretary of the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce, said, when questioned regarding the protest made by the French commander regarding the pilotage charges paid by his vessel on her arrival, that the matter had been referred to him, but that so far as he could see nothing could be done about it. Pilotage charges are fixed by law and are decided by the vessel's tonnage and mean draft. A movement has been started by the official pilots, Hamilton and Johnson, for a reduction of the set charges, but without Legislative enactment, nothing can be done along this line.

FAREWELL RECEPTION.

The officers of the cruiser Catinat yesterday gave a big reception to the committee of the French colony which has done so much to make the ship's stay here pleasant. Only those with cards of invitation were admitted on the decks of the warship.

The main deck had been turned into a semblance of a tropical garden with spreading palms, ferns and flowers. Circlets of carnations and other blossoms wreathed the guns, and the ammunition hoists and deck fittings were covered with garlands. Over all were spread the heavy canvas deck awnings, and round the rail was stretched a splinter shield to fend off the winds of the lower bay. There was dancing and refreshments. Among those present were the following members of the French colony:

Mr. and Mrs. Durand, Mr. and Mrs. Curtet, Mr. and Mrs. Fleur, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Amar, Messrs. Louis Sentous, E. Lefebre, Clavere, Viole, Filhof and Christopher.

The Catinat is scheduled to leave San Pedro at 8:30 o'clock this morning, proceeding to Venice, where its arrival is expected at 10 o'clock.

Advance Announcement

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To the Men and Women of Los Angeles

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EVENTS IN LOCA

MISS HELEN CHAFFEE will entertain with an informal dinner, Monday evening, for members of her bridal party, at her home, No. 947 Magnolia avenue. Simple decorations of yellow chrysanthemums will adorn the table, and covers will be laid for Lieut.-Gen. and Mrs. Chaffee; Mrs. William B. Clarke of Kansas City, a sister of Mrs. Chaffee, who is spending the winter at her home; Mrs. James R. Edwards, Miss Chaffee's cousin from Santa Rosa; Miss Lucy Clark, Miss Mary Clark, Miss Annis Van Nuys, Miss Rena Scott of Alameda, Miss Marian Macneil, Miss Katherine Clark, Miss Kate Van Nuys, Miss Inez Clark, Miss Salley Utley; Miss Smith and her father, Gen. Smith, department commander, and his aide-de-camp, Lieut. Christie; Col. John Biddle, Lieut. James, Lieut. Jones, Lieut. Cruse, Lieut. McFarland, Lieut. Dravo, Carl Klokke, James Page, Volney Howard and Dr. Bertrand Smith.

Tea at Country Club.

Mrs. Leslie C. Brand of Glendale was hostess yesterday afternoon at a smart tea given at the Glendale Country Club. The rooms were gay with potted plants, English ivy and pale yellow roses. Mrs. Brand was assisted in receiving by Mrs. R. H. Howell, Mrs. C. Q. Stanton, Mrs. Erasmus Wilson, Mrs. W. P. Dunham, Mrs. Willard Doran, Mrs. Daniel Campbell, Mrs. W. G. Hutchison, Mrs. C. H. Clark, Mrs. H. K. Williams, Mrs. J. T. Stewart, Mrs. A. F. Morlan, Mrs. George Cole, Miss Florence Avery, Miss Salley Utley, Miss Josephine McMillan, Miss Florence Clark, Miss Gladys Reynolds, Miss Helen McDonald and Miss Austeene George. Music was furnished by a string orchestra.

Wednesday "At Homes."

Mrs. Louise Pratt, Mrs. J. E. Marsh and Mrs. Robert Marsh will be at home to friends Wednesdays in December and January at the home of the latter, No. 1119 Westchester Place.

Mrs. David Riner,
who has returned from a honeymoon trip and is at home to her friends at her country home in Cypress.

Will Receive This Month.

Mrs. A. Jacoby and Mrs. Sylvain A. Lavard will be at home to their friends this afternoon and the remaining Fridays of December at the residence of the former, No. 865 Westlake avenue.

Enjoyable Luncheon.

Mrs. F. E. Sprinkman of No. 2551 Powell street entertained with a luncheon Wednesday in honor of Miss Spalding of Evanston, Ill. Covers were laid for Miss Grace Du Pre, Mrs. Edgar Wall and Miss Kathleen Bird.

Miss Heimann Hostess.

Miss Podie Heimann of No. 1419 Girard street entertained with a luncheon recently in honor of members of the T. U. C. Club of Anaheim.

Off for College.

Miss Addie Sandison, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sandison of Hollywood, left recently for San Francisco, where she will spend the holidays at the home of her sister, Mrs. Portus Bovard. Later, Miss Sandison will enter Mills College.

Luncheon for Club.

Mrs. Charles Van Valkenburg of No. 2564 Gramercy place will entertain Tuesday with a luncheon for members of the Marguerite Sub. The guests will be Mrs. Herbert Stinchfield, Mrs. William A. Gibson, Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Mellin, Mrs. Thompson, Miss Pritini Heimann and Miss Adeline Stanton.

Carson-Willard Nuptials.

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

MISS HELEN CHAFFEE will entertain with an informal dinner, Monday evening, for members of her bridal party, at her home, No. 967 Magnolia avenue. Simple decorations of yellow chrysanthemums will adorn the table, and covers will be laid for Lieut.-Gen. and Mrs. Chaffee; Mrs. William R. Clarke of Kansas City, a sister of Mrs. Chaffee, who is spending the winter at her home; Mrs. James R. Edwards, Miss Chaffee's cousin from Santa Rosa; Miss Lucy Clark, Miss Mary Clark, Miss Annis Van Nuys, Miss Rena Scott of Alameda, Miss Marian Macneil, Miss Katherine Clark, Miss Kate Van Nuys, Miss Ines Clark, Miss Salley Utley; Miss Smith and her father, Gen. Smith, department commander, and his aide-de-camp, Lieut. Christie; Col. John Riddle, Lieut. James, Lieut. Jones, Lieut. Cruse, Lieut. McFarland, Lieut. Dravo, Carl Klokke, James Page, Volney Howard and Dr. Bertrand Smith.

Tea at Country Club.

Mrs. Leslie C. Brand of Glendale was hostess yesterday afternoon at a smart tea given at the Glendale Country Club. The rooms were gay with potted plants, English ivy and pale yellow roses. Mrs. Brand was assisted in receiving by Mrs. R. H. Howell, Mrs. C. Q. Stanton, Mrs. Erasmus Wilson, Mrs. W. P. Dunham, Mrs. Willard Doran, Mrs. Daniel Campbell, Mrs. W. G. Hutchison, Mrs. C. H. Clark, Mrs. H. K. Williams, Mrs. J. T. Stewart, Mrs. A. F. Morlan, Mrs. George Cole, Miss Florence Avery, Miss Salley Utley, Miss Josephine McMillan, Miss Florence Clark, Miss Gladys Reynolds, Miss Helen McDonald and Miss Austeene George. Music was furnished by a string orchestra.

Wednesday "At Homes."

Mrs. Louise Pratt, Mrs. J. E. Marsh and Mrs. Robert Marsh will be at home to friends Wednesdays in De-

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who will entertain tomorrow with an informal musical.

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cember and January at the home of the latter, No. 1119 Westchester Place.

Will Receive This Month.

Mrs. A. Jacoby and Mrs. Sylvain A. Lavard will be at home to their friends this afternoon and the remaining Fridays of December at the residence of the former, No. 665 Westlake avenue.

Enjoyable Luncheon.

Mrs. F. E. Sprinkman of No. 2551 Fowell street entertained with a luncheon Wednesday in honor of Miss Spalding of Evanston, Ill. Covers were laid for Miss Grace Du Pre, Mrs. Edgar Wall and Miss Kathleen Bird.

Miss Heimann Hostess.

Miss Podie Heimann of No. 1419 Girard street entertained with a luncheon recently in honor of members of the T. U. C. Club of Anaheim.

Off for College.

Miss Addie Sandison, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sandison of Hollywood, left recently for San Francisco, where she will spend the holidays at the home of her sister, Mrs. Portus Bovard. Later, Miss Sandison will enter Mills College.

Luncheon for Club.

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Informal Musical.

Miss Alice Wernlund will entertain with an informal musicale Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. K. Wolfelt, No. 2211 Budlong avenue. The affair is planned in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Roper.

CITY BEAUTIFIER.

Celebrated Nature Artist Will Improve Long Beach—He's Glad to Be Here Again.

Charles Mulford Robinson, the man who coined the phrase, "The City Beautiful," and who has been instrumental in many of the greatest civic improvements in cities throughout the United States, returned to Los Angeles yesterday, after an absence of just a year. Accompanied by his wife, he is at the Alexandria, previous to going to Long Beach, where he has been engaged by the city authorities to suggest possible changes in the arrangement of present conditions with a view of making it one of the prettiest beach towns on the Pacific Coast.

During the past three months Mr. Robinson has been employed in Sacramento and San José, where streets were widened, new parks laid out and general improvements effected on the outdoor places of the two cities. Earlier in the year he was engaged in the beautification of several of the suburbs of New York City, and in the municipal gardening at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Mr. Robinson expressed great pleasure at his return and stated that while in this vicinity, he would take a number of journeys around Los Angeles to see how some of the improvements suggested had been carried out.

In addition to his regular duties as landscape artist, Mr. Robinson found time this year to complete a volume of twelve essays on civic improvement. The book is titled, "The Call of the City," and after so many stories and essays on the "call of the open," "back to nature," "the woodlands" and similar topics, it comes as a true relief, and the city man after reading it feels glad that he can live inside of a city's limits and enjoy the charms of all its improvements and opportunities.

PREPARING FOR TASK.

Officers of Elks Busy on Plans for Entertainment of Grand Lodge in July.

M. H. Flint, chairman of the Elks Executive Committee, returned yesterday from San Francisco, where he conferred with prominent officials of the order in regard to plans for the entertainment of the antlered herd next July. Grand Exalted Ruler R. L. Holland of Colorado Springs, Grand Secretary Robinson of Dubuque, Iowa, and Grand Trustee Holly of New Jersey, were present at the meeting. All three will come to Los Angeles Sunday night for a final round-up of preliminary entertainment plans.

"There are many matters to arrange during the visit of the grand officers," said Flint. "Programme, entertainment, hotels and other questions are to be decided. July will roll around almost before we know it, and we want everything working like clock work before the arrival of the thousands of Elks. We expect to make the coming convention the best ever held in the history of the order."

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once said: "There are two things I like about a rooster: the crow that's in him and the spurs that's on him to back up his crow with." Boasting is not always in bad form if one can back up the boast and the backer is not too persistent.

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The best news we have had from the fashion center in months. Seventy suits in both plain and elaborately tailored styles—all made from the newest favored materials in the most popular colorings and patterns—and every one is to go at $24.75.

There's not a garment in the lot but what is worth its full regular price—but the past month's busy selling leaves us with just one or two of a kind, so we have marked them all close to and less than half price for quick clearance today.

If you need a new suit don't let anything keep you away from this sale. May be just the suit you have admired so much at regular price will be among them.

The lot includes all sizes.
$42.50 to $60.00 values at $24.75 today.
Second floor.

Broadcloth Coats $20

A big line of new black broadcloth coats in long swagger styles just here to sell at $20.00. Exceptional values. See them today.

Sale of Chemise

$1.00 to $1.75 values at 85c.
$2.00 to $2.50 values at $1.00.
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A splendid assortment of longcloth and nainsook chemise; some in Empire styles. All daintily trimmed with lace, ribbon and embroidery.

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A big lot of drawers, chemise, gowns and petticoats—all of them slightly soiled from being on display. That's why we've marked them $1.75 for today.

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Fruit Dishes with Covers, $13.50
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Pickle Dishes, $4.50
Butter Dishes, $5.50
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Priced some to sell as low as ten cents and others at 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and up to $2.50.

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PASADENA.

HOLD-UP WILL BE A FEATURE.

HISTORIC STAGE ROBBERY TO BE RE-ENACTED.

Vaquero Club of Los Angeles Has Been Engaged by Tournament of Roses Association to Give Picturesque Performance at Park New Year's Day—Crown City Notes.

Office of The Times, No. 36 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Dec. 4.—A feature of the programme on New Year's afternoon at Tournament Park will be a presentation of the historic stage robbery at Oroville Mountain, near Leadville, Col., in 1887. Members of the Vaquero Club of Los Angeles will be the actors. The story of the daring hold-up is remembered, not so much from the amount of money that was in the stage, nor from the fatalities that resulted, as because of the bravery of one young mountain woman, who aided in the capture of the bandits.

NEW OFFICERS.

Officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Men's Club of All Saints' Church last night as follows: C. S. Byrington, president; G. Backus, first vice-president; H. I. Chatfield, second vice-president; C. K. Allen, secretary and treasurer. The directors are Vincent Good, P. S. Hallett, A. L. Wyatt, Ned L. Chapin and Guy Krump. Rev. Leslie Learned and Dr. Edward Hibbard spoke, following the election and dinner. A committee from the Ladies' Guild served.

STILL INVESTIGATES.

With the announcement that neither the milk which was drank nor the food which was eaten by Mrs. Lillie Vest and her children, just prior to their poisoning on Monday morning, contained irritants, only the coffee remains to be analyzed by Prof. W. K. Gaylord, chemist at Throop.

Chief of Police Favour said last night that he did not believe the poison could have been inserted in the milk bottle and lodged in the cream and afterward poured off. He will secure direct evidence of a plot or a motive for poisoning the family before he subjects any one to publicity.

A BUSY DECEMBER.

George P. Cary has mapped out for himself a busy December. In addition to his plans for Christmas and his strenuous efforts to prepare for the Tournament of Roses, it became known last night, through the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. John W. Edmundson of No. 790 North Orange Grove avenue, that he will wed Miss Florence Mabel Ross, sister of Mrs. Edmundson, during Christmas week. Miss Ross came here from Chicago about eighteen months ago.

LEPER BURIED.

The remains of Mrs. Isabella Wardwell were buried in the Pasadena Cemetery by the Woman's Relief Corps of this city yesterday afternoon. The body was secured from the county authorities just as it was about to be buried in the potter's field.

SCIENTIST TO ENTERTAIN.

Dr. George E. Hale, head of the Mt. Wilson Solar Observatory, is to entertain at dinner nearly two dozen scientific men of the city. An inspection of the observatory is also planned. The party will remain overnight on the peak.

A large mass of rock just above the junction of the old and new trails came down in the storm yesterday, and it was necessary to do some blasting in order to let the wagon by which takes supplies to the peak.

MRS. WILLIAMS DIES.

Mrs. Sarah J. Williams, aged 54 years, died on Wednesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Scoville, No. 1545 San Pasqual street. She was a native of New York.

STREETS FLOODED.

Nearly 4.75 inches of rain have fallen in this city this season, including one and a half inches for the present storm. On Mt. Wilson light flurries of snow fell last night. No damage was done by the storm here, although early yesterday morning the streets in the downtown district were flooded, demonstrating the need of storm drains.

Phelps for wall paper and paints.
Hotel Vista del Arroyo and bungalows, Pasadena.
Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.
Evanston Inn and cottages now open.

DEATHS DUE TO RUM.

Two Sailors Who Liquored Out the Day Die Before Dawn at San Pedro Hotel.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 3.—That truth of Kipling's, "and he may die before the dawn, who liquors out the day," was again exemplified here when the dead bodies of George Norman, aged 26, and Carl M. C. Christansen, aged 43, both natives of Norway, were found in room 7, of the Hotel Virginia, on Fourth street, this afternoon. The men were sailors and left the steamer J. B. Stetson on Sunday, and their death was caused by suffocation from the escaping fumes of a gas stove.

When found the men were fully dressed with the exception of their coats. Norman was on the floor at the side of the bed in a half stooping posture and Christansen at the foot of the bed on the floor, on his back. One burner of a gas stove which the men had been using for cooking food was turned on full force. The men had been drinking yesterday afternoon and last night and it is supposed they went to their room in an intoxicated condition, turned on the gas burner and neglected to light it. Apparently they had made an attempt to escape from the room, but were too stupefied to succeed. Nothing is known here concerning the antecedents of either.

LODGE OF SORROW.

San Pedro Lodge, No. 966, B.P.O.E., will hold its annual Lodge of Sorrow in commemoration of its departed brothers, at the Auditorium on Fifth street, Sunday night. The oration will be delivered by Charles J. Noyes of Santa Monica Lodge, No. 906, and Webster Davis of Kansas City, Mo., Lodge, No. 26, will deliver the eulogy.

FORM ASSOCIATION.

Citizens favoring the proposed division of San Pedro at Fifth street, the movement having for its ultimate object the consolidation of the segregated portion with Los Angeles, met last night and formed an organization known as the "Citizens' Consolidation Committee." A few days ago the Trustees were served with an alternative writ of mandate to call an election for division and they will answer in the District Court of Appeal on the 7th inst.

The new organization selected the following officers: Dr. W. A. Weldon, chairman; J. A. Anderson and Lewis Hansen, vice-chairmen; E. D. Seward, secretary, and Oscar Jacobson, treasurer. A number of standing committees were appointed, but the names of the members thereof were not made public.

PASSES WORTHLESS CHECK.

John Gilbert, a benevolent-appearing old man, passed a worthless check for $10 on F. M. Cannon, a local merchant, this morning. When Cannon presented the check at the State Bank it was refused. Cannon intercepted Gilbert as he was taking a Pacific Electric car for Los Angeles. The old man returned $7.50 of the money to Cannon, told a hard luck story and was permitted to go.

The local Aerie of Eagles last night elected the following officers: Louie White, Worthy President; J. A. Atchleon, Worthy Vice-President; Don Knight, Chaplain; E. Wunderlict, Secretary; J. P. Sylva, Jr., Treasurer; Charles Mason, Tom Wean and William Sepulveda, Trustees.

TINKER WITH CHARTER.

Santa Monica Now Has Three Committees Engaged on the Job. Rain's Immense Value.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 3.—The third committee has been named for the purpose of wrestling with the proposed amendments to the freeholder charter. This one was named by the Santa Monica Bay Chamber of Commerce, and is composed of E. J. Vawter, Grant Smith and P. J. Dudley. The Board of Trade's citizen committee is meeting each day to hear the suggestions, complaints and advice of the property owners and residents. The City Council's committee of taxpayers is to meet and organize tomorrow, and after that will be ready to sit with the Council in the preparation of amendments to be submitted to the people. It has been hinted that one or more of the recommendations as formulated by the committees will be for the addition of a section to the charter prohibiting the issuance of any liquor licenses. Other suggestions are for the abolition of all commissions and the centralization of power into a few hands.

DOG-CATCHER RESIGNS.

Wilhelm Tuscallosa Simpson, official dog-catcher of the municipality, has tendered his resignation and will retire on the 15th inst. in favor of the Humane Society. At that time the new ordinance goes into effect and the owners of untagged dogs will be amenable to arrest.

Owing to the rain, Postal Inspectors Knox and Hall deferred their beach inspection tour until tomorrow.

SOAKED IN.

There was a generous rainfall all along the bay district last night. The precipitation was not evenly distributed, as shown by the different gauges. According to one on the higher ground the storm yielded .69 of an inch of water, while another gauge closer to the seashore indicated a precipitation of .85 of an inch. The total for the season, as recorded close to the shore, is 2.35 inches, as against 3.44 by the reading of the mesa gauge. While there has been a variation, the rain has all fallen in such manner as to do the most good to growing crops, gardens, lawns and agricultural land. There have been no excessively heavy showers, and consequently but little storm water. The rain fell so gently that by far the greater portion of it at once soaked into the soil.

LEADERS FOR YEAR.

Pomona Yeomen and Woodmen Elect Officers—Hobo Molders Break Into Shops.

POMONA, Dec. 3.—The local lodge of American Yeomen now has a membership of 200. The newly-elected officers are H. E. Schwichtenberg, Foreman; George Gibler, Master of Ceremonies; S. Langhart, Master of Accounts; Mrs. Laura Chain, Chaplain, and Mrs. Emily McCain, Correspondent.

A full dress rehearsal for the Elks' production of the Military Mascot was held at the operahouse last evening under the direction of Prof. Stanley F. Widener. The musical comedy will be given on the evenings of December 16 and 17.

The Modern Woodmen lodge elected officers last night as follows: W. G. Sheets, Past Consul; G. G. Lester, Consul; B. Ewart, Advisor; R. V. Cooper, Clerk; A. L. Greenfield, Banker; F. Bailey, Watchman; Charles Dunn, Sentry; John Hardman, Manager; Drs. T. Hardy Smith and Joseph K. Swindt, Physicians.

SMART CAPTURES.

The Pomona Manufacturing Company's works was broken into last night by three hobo moulders. They built a fire, spent the night in the shops and departed this morning with some of the workmen's clothing and a quantity of valuable tools. Constable Slanker was notified at 8 o'clock and by 9 a.m., had overhauled the thieves on East Second street, wearing some of the clothes. They were taken before Justice Barnes, pleaded guilty and because of the leniency of the company were let off with fifteen-day sentences. The men gave the names of B. Dove, Cleveland Bell and R. B. Cook.

W. H. Carpenter of La Verne has sold his twelve and a half-acre orange grove at La Verne for $18,000, to W. W. Smith, through the McComas-Caves Realty Agency.

According to the Nichols rain gauge, 1.24 inches fell up to 7 a.m., and it has been showering through the day.

SOUTH PASADENA.

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 3.—The Trustees have authorized C. A. Dodge and Marshal Johnson to engage two motorcycle policemen, who will arrest auto speeders.

Rev. J. N. Fields, financial manager of the proposed Baptist University at Redlands, will speak at the Memorial Baptist Church Sunday.

Postmaster Flint of Los Angeles will address the students of the High School this afternoon.

F. K. Grooves and family of La Crosse, Kan., have bought a home in Westmoreland Place.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson of Los Angeles are visiting relatives here prior to leaving for New York next Monday to spend the winter.

Mrs. M. G. Carpenter and daughter Minnie of Des Moines, Iowa, are spending the winter with Mrs. Carpenter's sister, Mrs. D. Z. Gardner, No. 515 El Centro street.

J. W. Moore and family have moved to their new home on Virginia Place. Mr. Moore recently sold his house at No. 1716 Mission street, to Rev. J. Harvey Deere, new pastor of the Memorial Baptist Church.

GLENDORA.

GLENDORA, Dec. 3.—The Glendora Citrus Association started the winter packing yesterday. Manager Blankenship expects to ship two cars this week.

Jessie Eastin has purchased from Percy Zug, the cottage and two lots on Vista Bonita avenue, south of Minnehaha. Mr. Eastin is from Mansfield, Mo.

MUDDLED.

POOR REPORT HALTS ACTION.

CHARTER REVISION COMMITTEE'S WORK CHAOTIC.

Long Beach City Council Decides not to Make a Further Move in Revamping Instrument Until the City Attorney Has Chance to Carefully Study It.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 3.—Because of the ill-arranged condition of the report made by the charter revision committee, it is improbable that any action will be taken by the Council towards submitting any amendments other than the liquor question at the special election called for February 15, unless the Assistant City Attorney is able to make faster progress than he expected when the report was referred to him last night.

There has all along been a feeling among the members of Council that the charter is yet only in its formative period, and having only been in operation a year, sufficient time has not been given for a proper conception of its workings. Therefore, when the report came up for consideration last night, Stearns and Robinson promptly gave notice that they would not attempt to consider any of the amendments until they had been put in proper legal shape. Stearns also doubted the wisdom of some of the amendments. He asked if the revision committee had taken the trouble to consult any of the city departments to see if any good would be affected by the amendments which abolish some departments and consolidate others. Dayman, one of the committee, retorted that the committee was appointed to consider any amendments which were deemed expedient, and it did not understand that there was any particular desire for economy.

The City Attorney suggested that if the Council would pick out of the report the amendments favored, these could be put in legal shape and would save much unnecessary labor. The Council refused to listen, and referred the entire mass of notes and suggestions to the Assistant City Attorney. As each section of the charter will have to be studied as well as the legality of proposed amendments, it looks as though the proposed amendments have been buried.

MAN OVERBOARD.

Capt. Beattge, city wharfinger, is of the opinion that some unknown man walked off the outer wharf late last night. Because of the raging sea and the prevailing storm, the wharfinger remained on duty in his office, to be in readiness in case any trouble happened to the pier. About 11 o'clock he saw a man pass his office window walking on the guard rail of the wharf and going toward the south end. Beattge hurried to the door, but the man had disappeared and no trace of him was found. Rain was falling heavily and a man overboard could hope for no rescue.

JAP BURNED.

Frank Ogohrah, a Jap employed at Hotel Del Mar, was seriously burned last night by the explosion of a heater he was attempting to light. The heater had gone out, but the oil kept dripping, generating gas, which exploded when the match flame reached it. One end of the heater was blown out by the explosion and the Jap scorched about the face and hands. He was given prompt medical attention and later in the night was taken by his countrymen to a Japanese hospital in Los Angeles.

ELKS' SERVICES.

The Long Beach Lodge of Elks will hold their annual memorial services, Sunday, at the First Baptist Church. Frank G. Tyrrell will deliver the memorial adress, and Rev. Josiah Sibley the eulogy. Music will be rendered by the Elks' Quartette. In the five years of the local lodge's existence, four members have passed into the beyond.

Mrs. Ella Little, former manager of Byde-a-Wyle Theater, accused of passing a check for which there were no funds, was honorably discharged today by Judge Brayton. It developed that since the issuance of the check in question, many others had been issued by Mrs. Little and honored by the banks, showing clearly no intent to defraud but rather negligence on the part of the check-holder.

RAIN FALLS.

Another heavy rain continued all night, ceasing shortly before daylight. The precipitation was .61 inch, a total for the season to date of 5.43 inches, as against 2.05 inches the same date last year.

POSTER PROGRAMME.

Glendale High School Seniors Promise Interesting Entertainment—Woman's Club Plans Gift Day.

GLENDALE, Dec. 3.—The poster programme for the senior benefit to be given Saturday night, in Odd Fellows' new hall, has aroused much curiosity. Heretofore outside talent has always been employed, but this year "something different" is promised.

The public schools will close for the Christmas vacation on the 18th inst. so that the teachers may attend the county institute in Los Angeles during Christmas week.

"GIFT DAY."

The philanthropic department of the Tuesday Afternoon Club has set the 8th inst. as "gift day" for club members. Gifts of new clothing, canned fruit, oranges and walnuts will be collected for the King's Daughters day nursery in Los Angeles. The work is under the supervision of Mrs. L. C. Rice of Tropico and Mrs. Emma Burket, Glendale, assisted by a large committee.

RANCHERS REJOICE.

Rain fell almost continuously yesterday, all night and up to 10 o'clock today, when the weather began to clear. The precipitation causes general delight and will be of vast benefit to the Fernando district. Oranges are a fairly good size and only wait the sunshine now to rapidly color for the Christmas trade. The thorough soaking, following recent fumigation, insures a crop that is satisfactory to local citrus growers. The rain was just the steady, soaking kind that makes the ranchman smile.

CLAREMONT.

CLAREMONT, Dec. 3. — At the Thursday morning hour lecture of Pomona College the address was given by Joseph C. Robertson of Glasgow, Scotland. He spoke of Scottish leaders and institutions. During his stay here Mr. Robertson has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson of Tenth street and Harvard avenue.

The preliminary try-outs for the Kinney Declamation prizes are being held in the English rooms of Holmes Hall. There are seventeen contestants. The finals will be held in Holmes Hall Chapel, on the 16th inst.

An enjoyable recital was held in Smiley Hall, yesterday afternoon, when A. A. Butler gave the fourth in the historical course. With the exception of Haydn's sonata for piano and violin, the recital was devoted to the works of Mozart.

Clarence Felock has purchased a lot in the Eucasia Park tract, fronting on Seventh street.

The rainfall yesterday, according to the government record, amounted to .88 of an inch.

PIONEER WOMAN DIES.

Early Settler of Monrovia Passes Away at Advanced Age of Eighty-four Years.

MONROVIA, Dec. 3.—Mrs. E. A. Stewart, one of the pioneer women of the city, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Renaker, on North Myrtle avenue, at the advanced age of 84 years. Mrs. Stewart came here from Cythiana, Ky., twenty-one years ago. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Renaker, leaves two sons, Dr. J. T. Stewart and Prof. J. N. Stewart of Los Angeles, and four grandsons, Mortimer Stewart, Charles Stewart, Taylor and Leslie Renaker. The funeral service will be conducted at the Renaker residence Saturday at 2 o'clock.

The Saturday Afternoon Club will hold its annual bid-fashioned bazar tomorrow for the benefit of the fund for lifting the mortgage on the club's attractive home. At the regular club session Saturday, Mrs. Eleanor Bingham will deliver a lecture on "The Holy Grail."

SELLS M'KENZIE RANCH.

J. A. Crandall, acting for C. W. Spinks, sold to H. Menager today the McKenzie citrus ranch in Duarte for $12,500. The property consists of twenty acres, only ten of which are in orchard. Building improvements are good. The land carries proportionate stock in the Duarte Mutual Irrigation Company. Mr. Menager is a retired Southern capitalist who will make his home in Duarte.

A branch of the S.P.C.A. was organized last evening. Directors are Mrs. Frances Wildon, Miss Annis Cooper, Miss Florence Best, Dr. Joseph Pottenger, Rev. Ansel Johnson, L. H. M. DeBiron, Dr. E. L. Conger, L. R. Macey, Fred Turner, H. J. Evans, L. Bradbury, A. E. Cronenwett. Rev. Ansel Johnson presided. Brief addresses were made by Rev. Clark Marsh, Judge Rossiter, Dr. De Biron and Rev. McAnley. Several hundred members were enrolled. Besides the usual work of the society, special attention will be directed to the employment of minors at the Arcadia race course.

Wilshire, Westlake, or southwest property. See Althouse Bros., 430 S. Broadway.

HOLLYWOOD IS LUCKY.

Clever People Gather "In Its Midst." They Attend Musicale—City Helps Women's Club.

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 3.—A delightful gathering of clever people was held at "Vista del Mar," the home of Miss Bessie Herbert, this afternoon. It was the third in a series of informal musicales by Miss Bartlett and Mrs. Philip Zobelein. The artists for the afternoon were Harry Mestayer of the Burbank Theater and Harry Baxter, the flutist. Mr. Mestayer gave readings from "Peer Gynt." The programme was preceded by a social half hour, during which tea was served from small flower-bedecked tables presided over by Miss Foy, Mrs. John Douglass Walker and Mrs. Archbald Sessions.

FOR CLEAN CITY.

The Trustees last night voted $20 for the civic department of the Woman's Club, to be used for printing and mailing circulars to local property owners urging them to cooperate with the Civic Committee in its efforts toward making Hollywood a clean city. The Civic Committee has issued for public distribution small white and gold buttons bearing the motto "Hollywood; for a Clean City."

SAWTELLE.

SAWTELLE, Dec. 3.—M. Randschild of Los Angeles, has been appointed deputy street superintendent and will have charge as inspector of the work of repairing Oregon avenue.

W. B. Taylor has removed to South Pasadena, having given up his business here.

Rev. D. S. Benedict has arrived from Michigan and will be resident rector of the Episcopal Church. He will deliver his first sermon Sunday.

W. H. Williams has come to this city from Long Beach and will make his home here, entering the practice of law.

Mrs. Phoebe Pratt, whose death occurred at Santa Ana several days ago, was a resident of this city until the death of her husband here a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Edwards are to make this city their home as soon as they return from their bridal trip. The bride was Miss Myra Slocum, popular contralto in the Soldiers' Home choir.

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SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 3.—The Boer War was fought all over again at Colton this morning, and as a result Col. Frank von de Kritzenger occupies a cell in the County Jail, under a sixty days' sentence imposed by Justice of the Peace Hanna, for battery. The trouble involved the Boer and an English Jew. War matters were discussed, the Boer grilling the Englishman, not only with scriptural passages, in proof that the English government had incited the conflict merely as a cold-blooded commercial proposition, but driving home his argument with hard fists. These broke down the Jew's stubborn resistance. The Boer would have beaten the other to death had not help arrived. Col. Kritzenger believes he has a right to defend his lost country. He fought through the hardest battles of the war, and laid many a brave son of England low on the barren veit never to rise in action again.

GOES AHEAD.

LEGAL ADVICE IT DISREGARDS.

COLTON ACTS CONTRARY TO ITS ATTORNEY'S VIEWS.

Authorizes Edison Company to Furnish Electric Energy Despite the Understanding With Rival Concern—Fraternal Brotherhood Elects Officers for the Year.

COLTON, Dec. 3.—Contrary to the advice of City Attorney Hert, the City Council has authorized the Edison Electric Company to enter upon its contract for furnishing electrical energy to the city, it having taken effect at midnight, December 1. The city had previously contracted through Seth Hartley, with the Home Gas and Electric Company of Redlands for electricity at 2 cents per kilowatt with the understanding that Hartley should establish a competitive gas plant. The latter, failing to fulfill this condition, the City Council declared the contract void and arranged with the Edison Electric Company for electricity at 1 3-4 cents per kilowatt. Attorney Hert declares that after five years the Home Gas and Electric Company can bring suit against the city for all the electrical energy used during that time, thus obtaining heavy damages.

BRUISER JAILED.

Frank Lewis, alias Frank von de Kritzinger, was sentenced this morning in Justice Hanna's court to sixty days in the County Jail or $60 fine, and as the cash was not forthcoming he was taken to jail. He was arrested last night by Officer A. Magill on a charge of battery, he having attacked William Witzenfeld, in a shop on J street.

The Fraternal Brotherhood at its regular meeting, elected the following officers: President, C. F. Nugent; vice-president, Mrs. Jennie Dana; past president, E. S. Calvin; secretary, Mrs. C. F. Nugent; treasurer, Mrs. Ray Fletcher; chaplain, Mrs. Annie Vaughn; sergeant-at-arms, Loyd Fletcher; mistress-at-arms, Mrs. Loyd Fletcher; doorkeeper, Miss Emma Weaver; outer doorkeeper, Lincoln Lewis; musician, Miss Georgia Dana; trustees, J. D. Rutherford and J. R. Fletcher.

BENEFIT BAZAAR.

The Cemetery Improvement Association held a benefit bazaar yesterday. This organization has in the last year made much improvement in the local cemetery, planting trees, oiling roads and caring for the grounds generally.

W. W. Welch, for several years superintendent of the California Portland Cement Company, has resigned. His fellow-workers presented him with a gold watch and chain.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

The engagement of Miss Georgia Mae Dana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dana, to Robert W. Jones, has been announced, the wedding to take place December 16, at the home of the bride on F street.

Ramona Park. See Althouse Bros.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Southern California Society Elects Executive at Santa Ana and Holds Banquet.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 3.—The fortieth semi-annual meeting of the Southern California Medical Society closed tonight with a banquet at Elks' Hall.

Officers were elected this morning as follows: President, Dr. F. R. Burnham, San Diego; First Vice-President, Dr. C. D. Ball, Santa Ana; Second Vice-President, Dr. J. M. Holden, Long Beach; Secretary-Treasurer, Dr. J. M. King, Los Angeles.

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee the next place of meeting will be Long Beach, the time next May.

The Supervisors yesterday passed an ordinance prohibiting the shipment of shellfish of all kind from Orange county. This is considered necessary to stop the inroads being made by fishermen.

ELSINORE.

ELSINORE, Dec. 3.—The rain amounted to 1.31 inches as measured by Henry Lillie's gauge on Riverside street. It was a steady, soaking, penetrating downpour, and the ground is well wet down. Indications are for more.

Rev. Mr. Frothingham of Colorado is expected here to occupy the Presbyterian pulpit the 6th inst. He may possibly remain as pastor.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sitton left this morning for a two months' visit in Phoenix, Ariz., with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Sears. Mrs. Sitton has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lillie for several weeks and owns a home on Grand avenue.

W. F. Kirtpatrick has gone to Minifee to seed his large ranch there. Mrs. Kirtpatrick remains here.

PROFITABLE.

TURNS CHAIRS INTO ACREAGE.

REDLANDS MAN EXCHANGES FURNITURE FOR RANCH.

Gets Eight Hundred Acres for His Interest in Store—San Francisco Merchants See Something Really Wonderful—Smiley Arrives for the Winter—Gates to Speak.

REDLANDS, Dec. 3.—W. H. Goodrich, president and heaviest stockholder in the W. H. Goodrich Furniture Company, today disposed of his interest to Wright Bros. & Rice of Pomona, taking in payment 800 acres in Pala Verde Valley, which embraces the townsite of Pala Verde, the oldest settlement there. The transaction is made on a cash basis of $39,000, which represents Mr. Goodrich's stock in the furniture company, which has a paid-up capital of $58,000.

Eleven years ago Mr. Goodrich sold out his furniture business in Pomona to his partners, Wright Bros., and came to Redlands, and he now sells again to his former partners. J. S. Noble, who bought into the local business some months ago, also leaves the concern. Brooke Hartley, who was the secretary and treasurer of the corporation, takes over more stock, and G. B. Goodrich retains his interest. C. E. Rice is president of the corporation and Mr. Hartley retains his position. W. H. Goodrich's El Centro furniture store is not included in the deal, and he will retain it for the present at least.

The immense ranch secured by Mr. Goodrich is one of the oldest and best-known properties in this section.

REDLANDS NOTES.

Seventy-five San Francisco merchants on a sight-seeing tour through the southern section of the State will pay Redlands a visit on the 11th inst. They will arrive in their special train about 1 o'clock and will be taken for a drive over Smiley Heights and the residence section.

A. K. Smiley arrived with his family yesterday. They have taken up their residence in their winter home on Smiley Heights. In the party are Mrs. A. K. Smiley, Mrs. Daniel Smiley, Miss Mary Cornell and Miss Ruth Smiley. Mr. Smiley says that with the exception of 1906 this has been the most successful season in the history of his big resorts at Mohonk and Minnewaska lakes.

The Fraternal Brotherhood has elected the following officers: President, Albert Holt; Vice-President, J. A. Judd; Chaplain, Mrs. Dorothy Taggart; Secretary, Mrs. Nettie Tracy; Treasurer, W. G. Huntington; Sargeant, Louis Flinspach; Physicians, Dr. Mary Curtis and Dr. Claude Lashles; Inner Guard, J. E. Large; Outer Guard, Ralph Allen; Trustees, J. P. Hird and Robert Ogden.

The local order of Eastern Star last night installed the following officers: W. M., Mrs. W. M. Johnson; W. P., J. Merritt; A. S., Mrs. Arthur Frame; Secretary, Mrs. E. J. Noyes; Treasurer, Mrs. R. C. O'Kelly; Conductress, Mrs. H. H. Linean; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Willie Putnam; Adah, Mrs. Luen Coffee; Ruth, Mrs. J. L. Avey; Esther, Mrs. E. J. Anderson; Martha, Mrs. A. B. Cook; Electa, Mrs. L. Barber; Sentinel, A. J. Hendrickson; Chaplain, Mrs. G. G. Kennard; Marshall, Mrs. Addie Frame; Organist, Mrs. C. M. Brown.

Dr. George A. Gates, president of Pomona College, will address the men and women of Redlands Sunday afternoon at the Contemporary Clubhouse, taking as his subject, "A New Day."

Althouse Bros., real estate, 430 S. Broadway.

CORONA MUSICALE.

One of Nordica's Proteges Sings While Infant Prodigy Plays the Violin.

CORONA, Dec. 3.—The musical event of the season was the concert in the Alden Operahouse, last evening, given by Señor Serafin Pla, baritone, of Los Angeles assisted by the child violinist, Señorita Maria Aspiroz, and Miss Theodosia Harris, pianist.

Señor Pla, who formerly lived in Corona, is to leave for Europe later in the season.

Lillian Nordica, who has shown much interest in this young Spaniard, is to take him abroad, where he is to resume his musical studies.

WATER DIRECTORS.

The Temescal Water Company stockholders have elected for directors A. F. Call, F. F. Chase, H. B. Chase, S. B. Hampton, Frank Scoville, Joy Jameson and F. F. Thompson.

Sunny Slope Cemetery is to be enlarged by the addition of four acres, which will be fenced, graded and set to trees. A beautiful driveway is to be a feature. Engineer Kellogg of Santa Ana is in charge of the surveying.

Lemon street is being put in excellent condition. The work of grading one mile has been done by the Chase Nursery Company, the city installing necessary culverts.

John Duffy was given fifteen days, yesterday, for vagrancy and taken to Riverside.

Showers yesterday and today resulted in a half-inch precipitation.

The Congregational Y.P.S.C.E. has organized a travel club, the first meeting being held night before last in the church parlors, with Miss Sue Birdsall to guide the party to Alexandria, Egypt. Horace Armitage described the old Egyptian city, while Miss Inez Baker pointed out the sights of Alexandria of today. Music was furnished en route by Misses Florence Barber and Harriet Bates.

Alden Hotel, home method cooking.

RIVERSIDE.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 3.—Arthur McDermont of Los Angeles, the new manager for the California Citrus Union, who has succeeded S. J. Hicks here, is a hustler of the first water and is making things hum. He has opened up four big packing-houses for the company and began picking fruit up on the Heights today.

Mr. McDermont has been in the fruit business for seventeen years, having been connected with the California Citrus Union as manager in the San Gabriel Valley. He has installed his family in a handsome residence on Lemon street, which he has purchased.

Mrs. McDermont is a charming woman, a gifted musician, and quite literary. She will be a welcome and valuable addition to social and club circles.

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The need in every family of a safe and effective tonic is shown by the following statement of Mrs. A. B. Gates of No. 807 East Second street, Duluth, Minn.

"I suffered for over a year," she says, "from general debility, which was brought on by overwork. I had no ambition to do any work and the least exertion used me up. My appetite was poor and I was very nervous at times. I could not get a good night's rest. I was often confined to bed for a day or so and certainly felt miserable.

"I doctored with local physicians for a time but did not get any help from their medicine. I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through a friend and gave them a trial. They soon gave me strength and I was able to do my work. I have since kept the pills in the house and recommend them highly."

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All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

SHRINK IN BOILING.

Crawfish Become Under Legal Length After Being Put in the Pot—San Diego Suit.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 3.—It was demonstrated to the satisfaction of Justice Thorp of the township court yesterday that after going through a boiling process crawfish will shrink all the way from one-eighth of an inch to one and three-quarters inches.

The demonstration was conducted in behalf of Charles Holmquist and C. E. Osborn, who were arrested on a complaint sworn to by County Game Warden Toms, charging them with having in their possession crawfish less than the eleven inches prescribed by law. The demonstration resulted in instructions to the jury to acquit the defendants after a representative of the District Attorney's office moved to dismiss.

Holmquist and Osborn pleaded that the crawfish measured by the game warden were of the regulation length before the boiling process.

Judge Torrance rendered judgment for $7839.90 in favor of the plaintiffs, S. W. Rand and W. W. Perkins, in their suit against the Columbian Realty Company yesterday. He exonerated the company from any charge of fraud.

Speculation is rife over the subpoenaeing of City Clerk Butler before the grand jury, which began its labors yesterday. He was instructed to bring records and ordinances pertaining to the method of sewer construction and also as to a franchise granted to D. C. Collier and others for an electric railroad to Point Loma. These records were closely scanned by the jurymen.

Arthur G. Hill last night received a message announcing the serious illness of his wife, who was visiting at the home of her parents in Los Angeles. Mr. Hill departed for Los Angeles on the first train this morning. Mrs. Hill died before her husband reached her bedside.

Six torpedo boats arrived in port from Magdalena Bay this evening and joined the destroyers already here. The new arrivals are the Davis, Lawrence, Goldsborough, Farragut, Fox and Rowan, under command of Lieut. Howe. The boats had some rough weather coming up the coast, but otherwise the voyage was uneventful. The cruiser Albany was expected to arrive today also from Magdalena Bay, but did not appear. It is thought she is not far from the harbor tonight.

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What happens is told by Samuel G. Blythe in the Christmas Number of

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RELIGIOUS.

INNOVATIONS NEAR CLOSE.

Torrey Meetings Promise an Interesting End.

Evangelist Doesn't Believe in Infant Damnation.

Saturday Night Open House at the Y.M.C.A.

Yesterday was a day of innovations at the Torrey revival meetings, now on the home stretch, and without sensation thus far.

A big, strong fellow, red-faced and under the influence of liquor, stalked down the aisle of the tabernacle last night, knelt on the sawdust and rested his face upon the step leading to the platform.

For a few minutes he remained immovable in that position, and then with pleading, upturned face, he looked at Dr. Torrey, and the next moment the evangelist was down on the sawdust by the drunkard's side with his arm about his shoulders.

The song service was under way and the audience was singing "Come to Jesus Just Now," but Dr. Torrey had not yet begun his evening sermon. The song was a sufficient invitation to the derelict.

The two men, as they knelt together, had a quiet word with each other, and then both bowed their heads for a moment of prayer, when Dr. Torrey helped the almost helpless fellow to his feet and with the aid of a worker took him to one side.

"This poor man," said the evangelist, "wanted to know if God could do anything for a sinner like him. Many a time I have seen men come just like him, and as much under the influence of liquor as this poor man is, and I have seen them go out sober and happy, and the same thing may happen to this poor fellow."

He was taken into one of the committee rooms, where several workers remained with him until the close of the service, and when he came out he appeared to be sober. He took his place among the converts on the front bench, and when Mr. Jacoby gave him the opportunity, he testified that he had been saved by grace.

SENSATIONAL DENIAL.

Another somewhat sensational incident also marked the afternoon meeting, when Dr. Torrey for the first time in the entire month, took notice of any sort of a criticism of his work.

He held in his hand a note in which he was charged with having said that "hell is full of infants a span long;" or rather, the note said that a lady had said that Dr. Torrey had said this, and he was asked to make denial of it.

"Well," he said, "if any lady says she heard me say that there are infants in hell a span long, she lied. Is that contradiction enough? No man, no woman, no lady or no gentleman, nor anybody else, ever heard me say there are infants a span long, or any other length, in hell, for I don't believe it.

"The trouble with Universalists, and some other people, is that when they hear a man preaching the truth, they feel called upon to lie about him."

Though the rain was not over, both the afternoon and evening audiences had come back to normal proportions, below which they dropped on Wednesday. Last night the tabernacle was packed, as usual.

WHERE HAPPINESS IS.

Dr. Torrey took his text from Mark viii, 36: "For what shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"

"I cannot think of a text that is better suited to Los Angeles than this," he said. "Los Angeles so beautiful, so prosperous; Los Angeles, where there is everything to make one happy; so much to lure one, so much to invite one to ease and comfort.

"If I wanted to find the happiest people in Los Angeles, I would not go to the worldlings; I would not go to the theaters, the dance halls nor gambling hells."

Proceeding with his argument that wealth, power nor pleasure ever satisfy the craving of happiness, the evangelist paid a splendid tribute to the little Salvation Army woman, as she sings her way through the streets.

"Did you ever hear a company of millionaires going down the street, singing: 'I am satisfied?'" he asked. "Somebody has said that a millionaire rarely laughs and never sings. Does money, power, the dance, card playing, or the race track ever satisfy? The worldlings are the most dissatisfied people on earth.

"When I was a boy, I thought the day would come when I would be very rich, and we five children sat down one night with paper and pencil and figured out just how much we would each be worth when father saw fit to give it to us. I felt richer that night than I have ever felt since. All I got was a leather match-box and a pair of gold sleeve buttons. The match-box wore out, I lost one of the buttons, and don't know what became of the other, and I thank God that I didn't get a dollar of all the wealth I thought I would some day possess."

He briefly told how his father's wealth was swept away in a day, during a panic, and he died in very moderate circumstances.

"The world passes away, but the soul lasts," he said. "He that doeth the will of God liveth forever. The average man and woman are selling their souls for a very small fragment of the world. Too cheap, too cheap," he exclaimed.

"If you were getting the whole world, it would be too cheap, but think of doing it for a miserable little fragment of pleasure. The time is coming, men and women of Los Angeles, when you shall see the world no more with the glamor around it, and if you have given up Christ for the world, you'll be very sad indeed."

A SURPRISE.

Dr. Torrey was led last night to ask how many Christians there were in the audience who had come to Los Angeles and never identified themselves with a church, but who would now do so. The result was a great surprise, and as they stood up in twos and threes all over the house, he was led to exclaim:

"Well, bless God. Now I want you to come right down here in front till we get all your names."

And they came in a crowd.

At the afternoon meeting Dr. Torrey preached a powerful sermon on the Holy Spirit, and when he asked, at the close, that all those who desired a baptism of the Holy Spirit stand up, not less than 500 men and women arose. At both services there were a large number of converts.

At the afternoon meeting today, the evangelist will preach upon "The Fundamental Conditions of Success in Soul-Winning." Tonight will be the last of the week-day meetings, and two great services on Sunday will close the mission.

OPEN HOUSE.

Y.M.C.A. TO ENTERTAIN.

There will be an open-house social for ladies and gentlemen at the Young Men's Christian Association on Saturday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock.

A special and cordial invitation is extended to all members of the Young Women's Christian Association. The men residing in the Young Men's Christian Association building have been asked to constitute themselves a Reception Committee for the occasion, and there will be a special committee of young men and young women on hand to assist the dormitory occupants.

An interesting programme is being prepared which will be given in the main lobby. This programme will consist of special gymnastic work by a number of the men trained in the association physical department. There will also be musical and literary numbers. These programmes never fail to entertain and delight all who attend, and the one on this occasion will be one of the best ever given in the building.

Light refreshments will be served, and a very pleasant time is anticipated. Everybody, ladies and gentlemen, old and young, are invited.

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Wonderful Values

In Silk and Net Waists

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Handsome Silk and Net Waists

You will not only be delighted with the style of these waists and the quality of the materials, the make-up and finish and the trimmings, but also with the fact that at the prices you are saving at least $2. The silk waists are of fine taffeta and messaline in plaid, stripes and plain colors. Handsomely trimmed with Val. lace, silk braids, cluny lace or strictly tailored. Black and all colors. The net waists in white and ecru. Are exquisite creations. **$4**

Take Care of Your Eyes

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Sample Laces

A manufacturer's sample lines of lace, trimmings, allovers and gilt novelty trimmings. These are the swatches and sample pieces used by big importing houses for display purposes. Lengths of three-eighths to three-fourths yards. Pieces that would sell up to $6 a yard in a regular way. Choice per length 19c. **15c**

Gift Suggestions; Holiday Art Goods

A great big lot of linens, pillow tops and pillow ruffling that sold regularly at 35c to 75c. Short lots and odd lots grouped for a big sale Friday at choice 25c. **25c**

Holiday Ribbons

The big sale still continues. Something new every day. Wonderful assortment. Nothing prettier or more easily made into dainty, desirable gifts. Here's one special for Friday:

80 Black Taffeta Ribbon

100 pieces. Hand finished. Just the kind for hair bows. Fine luster. 35c quality. Bows tied free. **19c**

Pretty Ribbons

Another choice lot for Friday. Taffeta and satin in widths to No. 40. Taffetas, messalines and satins in all colors and black. 20c quality. **10c**

Christmas Handkerchiefs

More handkerchiefs and more kinds of handkerchiefs than you will find in any other three stores. Thousands upon thousands of them all new, fresh and dainty just from the maker. Just as an example of the low prices, here are

Cross Bar Handkerchiefs

Another lot of those pretty popular handkerchiefs with ¼-inch hemstitched hem, would be good values at twice the price. **4c**

Women's Handkerchiefs, Pure Irish Linen **10c**

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$45 Beautiful Bronze Lamp **$32.41**

Choice of three different styles. Very handsome art glass shade.

More of Those Handsome Broadcloth and English Covert Coats

Considering that other stores are asking $22.50 to $27.50 for similar models, it is easy to understand why there was such a demand for the coats last Wednesday. Another 100 just in by express. Tight fitting, semi and loose flowing models. Black and all colors. Satin lined. Beautifully tailored and trimmed. **$15**

Dress Goods

50-Inch All Wool Broadcloth **59c** YARD

The price is but a little more than half the real worth; four popular shades of brown and one shade of navy; fine lustrous finish; good weight.

52-Inch Chiffon Broadcloth **89c** YARD

25 pieces of as fine a $1.25 broadcloth as you will find in the city. Just the right weight for long coat suits; all popular colors; also black.

56-Inch Chiffon Panama **79c** YARD

One of the most popular of the new fall materials for coat suits and pleated skirts. Popular shades of navy, leather, red; also black; plain or with shadow stripes; absolutely pure wool. Worth $1.25.

Worsted Suitings, 44 In. Wide **$1** YARD

50 pieces just in from the maker; brand new; satin, chevron and suiting stripes in taupe, smoke, stone green, brown, navy, gray and tan. Very fashionable for coat suits. Every yard guaranteed.

Millinery Clearance Sale

The Question of Profit Not Considered

A quick decision clearance. It's the Hamburger way. Every season must begin with everything absolutely new. Every trimmed hat, every untrimmed shape, imported and New York pattern hats; misses' hats, plumes, aigrettes and trimmings of all kinds. Thousands of hats to choose from. Scarcely one in the lot but the trimmings alone are worth more. Here's the way you will buy them Friday:

Half Price or Less

MISSES' $5.00 AND $6.00 HATS	$2.95	$3.95 TO $4.50 UNTRIMMED HATS	$2.48
$6.95 TO $10.00 FRENCH SHAPES	$4.98	$5.00 TO $8.50 TRIMMED HATS	$2.98
$1.50 FEATHERS AND FLOWERS	48c	$ 7.45 TO $11.95 TRIMMED HATS	$4.45
$3.50 FANCY TRIMMING FEATHERS	98c	$15.00 TO $19.00 TRIMMED HATS	$9.50
$1.00 FANCY TRIMMING FEATHERS	25c	$25 HANDSOME TRIMMED HATS	$12.50

Fancy Silks

Short Lengths of Silk **29c** YARD

500 pieces, ranging from 2 to 15 yards each; regular 50c, 75c and $1 silks; all colors and all kinds—and all out on the big bargain table Friday at 29c.

19-Inch Rich Brocaded Satins **45c**

Choice range of evening shades; large and small figured designs; also suitable for fancy work of all kinds.

20-Inch Fancy Evening Silks **59c**

Rich, dainty, light colors with black satin stripes, in all widths; Dresden and Persian effects in a choice assortment of colors. The newest silks out for evening wear. Every yard guaranteed. Values to $1.

The New 20-Inch Silks **79c**

Fashion's favorite weave in every wanted color. Chevron stripes, satin stripes, herringbone stripes and satin figured designs of all kinds. Rich, handsome messalines, taffetas and satin weaves.

Hamburger Rugs

For the Home Beautiful

We bought these underpriced; sell them the same way. It's the Hamburger way. We could easily get a fourth more for any of these rugs, and still you would get big values for the price you paid. Ever notice what a wonderful difference a handsome rug makes; how it adds to the coziness and homelikeness? Rugs make a fine home gift. See these Friday —

Fine 23x54-Inch Reversible Fiber Rugs. The best little rugs made; fiber and wool mixed; perfectly reversible. Choice designs and colors. **79c**

Beautiful Pro-Brussels Rugs..... The patterns are copies of the best body Brussels. In appearance and designs these rugs are equal to those costing three times as much. Exceptionally durable. **$7.87**

9x12 BRUSSELS RUGS

You will be delighted with the colorings and patterns of these handsome rugs. Regular values to $18.50. **$14.87**

BRUSSELS TAPESTRY RUGS

The best $15 rugs shown in the city; exclusive stores would ask you more. Full room size in handsome floral and oriental designs and colorings. **$11.87**

Diamonds

The Gift of Gifts

Our spot cash purchase of the entire stock of diamonds of H. A. Groen & Bro., the famous New York and Amsterdam diamond cutters, places us in a position to offer these goods at fully a FOURTH less than exclusive store prices. Every piece of diamond jewelry is not only guaranteed by the above firm, but also is backed by the Hamburger guarantee. These diamonds are of the finest quality, set in platinum and 18k and 14k gold mountings. We want you to see them. Special Friday is a

Horseshoe Diamond Brooch

$300

Set with thirty-seven very fine white diamonds. Value $450.

5,000 Prs. Curtains

Spot Cash Purchase

Entire Mill Stock at About 60c on the Dollar

In preparation for next year's business, this big firm offered us this entire stock of curtains at just about actual cost of making. These curtains are all the newest designs. Every pair perfect and every pair practically worth double the price we're going to sell them at Friday.

EXCELLENT NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS

Undoubtedly the lowest price at which you have ever been offered a pair of curtains. Just about what you usually have to pay for single sample curtain corners. Choice patterns in several designs; excellent quality. There are only 500 pairs of these, so you will have to be here early. **39c** PAIR

FINE, DOUBLE THREAD LACE CURTAINS

The newest designs; white or Arabian; shaded patterns; overlocked stitched edges. **95c**

BEAUTIFUL BRUSSELS CURTAINS

Very handsome and dainty floral effects in shaded patterns; designs suitable for any room in the house. The price means a saving of at least $1.00. **$1.50** PAIR

LACE CURTAINS — CLUNY DESIGN

Very handsome and durable curtains of double twisted thread lace. For service these have no equal, even at double the price. Are really worth $3 to $3.50. **$1.95** PAIR

ATTRACTIVE ROCOCO AND ARABIAN LACE CURTAINS

Extra fine lace in very handsome patterns; white or ivory. The designs are very attractive. **$2.50** PAIR

BEAUTIFUL LACE CURTAINS

You would never expect to buy these for less than $5. Exceptionally handsome designs; very strong thread; full length and width. **$3.95** PAIR

CRAFT THRONG HARBOR

(Continued From First Page.)

Harold Dollar, Capt. Joanson, 807 tons Chehalis, Capt. Kittleson, 421 tons; Saginaw, Capt. Stream, 498 tons; J. B. Stetson, Capt. Fonnifield, 521 tons; Lakme, Capt. Dahlquist, 404 tons, and many others.

These vessels have a carrying capacity of from 400,000 to 850,000 feet. In addition to the steam tonnage arriving, several "wind-jammers" have added their share to the past week's receipts. These are the Balboa, Capt. Burmeister, from Tacoma with 858,000 feet; the Oregon, Capt. Anderson, from Tillamook, with 275,000 feet; the Bertie Minor, from Coast Bay, with 320,000 feet, and the Louise, Capt. Anderson, from the Umpqua River, carrying 398,000 feet.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK.

Several conditions have operated to bring about the present activity, and the outlook for coastwise sailing tonnage is brighter than it has been for several years. The recent advance in freight rates from Puget Sound to San Pedro from $4.25 to $4.50 a thousand feet, and from other northern ports in proportion to distance, coupled with a large increased demand for woodstuffs, enabled many coastwise sailing vessels, which have been laid up for many months, to once more find remunerative charters, and they are now being placed in commission again.

There is scarcely any steam tonnage idle on the coast, and many "wind-jammers," which have laid in the mud of Oakland Creek and on the Columbia and at Puget Sound, are being overhauled and fitted out for business.

Locally much of the lumber now being received is used to stock up the various large wholesale yards at both San Pedro and Los Angeles. Previous to the last Presidential election the local yards allowed their stocks of woodstuffs to run down unusually low, but with the certainty of President-elect Taft and the resultant return of confidence and business activity, enormous stocks are being secured.

The National Lumber Company, at Terminal, has at least 15,000,000 feet of lumber stored, and the Consolidated Lumber Company, at Wilmington, about 10,000,000 feet. Both these large corporations are preparing to make, and recently have made, improvements for large additional yard facilities. All the various other companies operating at the harbor are laying in full stocks.

In addition, the continual local consumption of woodstuffs throughout the Southwest goes on apace. Particularly is this true of lumber and mining timbers for Arizona, New Mexico and Mexico. Daily car after car of mining timbers are shipped to these points.

WHEN SHIPS COME HOME.

The return of the old-time sailing fleet to San Pedro is hailed there with delight, for it means prosperity and a good business for the small retail stores, and steady employment at a large wage for an army of workers along shore. At the present time nearly thirty sailing vessels are either chartered or are on the way for San Pedro.

The loading list includes the schooners Caroline, Louise, Sadie and Lucy of the Umpqua River fleet; the schooners Meteor, Fearless and E. B. Jackson, at Gray's Harbor; the schooner Stimson at Ballard; the Hugh Hogan at Tillamook, the bark Hesper at Winslow, and the schooner Mindora at Everett. Also, the schooner Fred G. Wood from Bellingham, the schooners Charles E. Falk and Ludlow from Westport, and the schooner Omega from Coos Bay are sailing for San Pedro with full cargoes of lumber.

The schooners Bertie Minor, C. S. Holmes, E. K. Wood, Lottie Bennett, Lizzie Vance and Minnie A. Caine are sailing for northern ports to load return cargoes for San Pedro.

Yesterday morning there were twenty-four vessels discharging at the various wharves. Over 500 men were at work; the constant switching of cars to and fro, the incessant swinging of the ships' booms, the rumble of innumerable trucks, the hiss of escaping steam from winches and hoisting engines, and the constant commands of the ships' mates made a scene of exceptional activity. Beginning with daylight, three solid trainloads of lumber left San Pedro, in all 150 cars, making a train over a mile long, carrying 3,000,000 feet of lumber and having a value at wholesale of $60

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THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain; fresh south wind. For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled, with showers; fresh south wind.

Sunrise, 6:44; sunset, 4:44; moon sets, 5:41 a. m. Sunday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum, 53 deg. Wind 5 a. m., northeast; velocity, 8 miles; 5 p. m., southwest; velocity, 5 miles. At midnight the temperature was 54 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 53 deg.; cloudy.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours to 5 p. m. yesterday by Weather Bureau rain gauge, trace; season to date, 1.08 inches; to same date last season, 2.19 inches; normal, 2.56 inches.

[The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 15, part I.]

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City.
Huntington plans startling extensions
Los Angeles Railroad line, which he controls, to parallel the Harriman lines toward Covina and other suburban towns.
Alleged counterfeiter caught by secret service men asserts that he was only trying to make medals for the babies of Made in Southern California baby show.
Thousands of civil actions cause a congestion in the Superior Court calendar; only the appointment of extra judges will help dispose of litigation.
Board of Education sets January 6 as the date for voting upon the question of issuing school bonds to the amount of [illegible] quarters of a [illegible]
[illegible] and Bakersfield.
Police Commissioner Bath acquitted by a jury of the charge of falsely imprisoning Bradner Lee.
Girl takes rough on rats, apparently without cause, and dies from her [illegible]
Mrs. Concepcion Warner, niece of the Mexican Governor of California, kills herself with poison.
Over 1000 babies strive for prizes at Made in Southern California Exposition.
At a meeting of tuberculosis experts electric lamp flashes out every three minutes to time snuffing out of lives in white plague.
Dick Harris dismissed from the Health Department after trial by the Civil Service Board.
Southern California.
Pasadena churchmen and members of Tourney's clubs object to stage hold-up as part of Tournament of Roses programme.
Venice fetes officers of French warship Dupetit.
Every dwelling house in Wilmington is occupied and large enterprises under way mean healthy real estate activity.
Redondo's building permits for year report nearly four hundred thousand dollars.
Long controvert opponents of municipal light bonds at Long Beach, Mayor calls special meeting.
San Bernardino stockholders in War Eagle Mining Company charge president and secretary with conspiracy to defraud.
Riverside pays last honors to police officer who accidentally killed himself.
Capture gang at Santa Ana declares war off.
Board of San Diego man provides that if his daughter remarries she loses interest in income from large estate.
Pasadena boy for years dependent upon charity of friends, succeeds to fortune.
Big Bear Slope.
Prosecution closes its case against Hall; defense refuses to say whether Hall will be submitted.
Woman who married one of rival suitors weds second at behest of husband when he died.
Rescued sailor from whaler Bowhead tells of vessel "hell ship," on which men were starved and beaten to death.
Navy vessels preparing in readiness for launching of Prometheus at Mare Island navy yard.
Divorce woman, forced to drive garbage wagon while husband was on spree, gets divorce.
General Eastern.
Joseph Cannon will stand pat on present rules in organizing Sixty-first Congress.
Philadelphia divorcee gives advice on how to choose a husband.
Taft outlines legislative programme of his administration.
Pacific Line Freight Association and transcontinental railroads in conflict over rates to be made of California shipments.
Association of Life Insurance Presidents pays tribute to Grover Cleveland at public memorial exercises in New York.
Federal grand jury investigating vote fraud in Chicago condemns primary election.
Washington.
Senator Foraker expected to make big fight in self-defense in Senate and retaliate attack on President.
Empress Dowager of China sent jewelry trinkets to Mrs. Longworth.
Speaker Cannon defends rules of House as they are necessary for transaction of business.
Republican members of Ways and Means Committee give Democrats to understand they'll have no hand in tariff revision.
Conference of powers for forming of international code in naval warfare opens at London.
Secret papers, pointing out that Castro has millions on deposit in Europe, fall into belief he will never return.
Gunboat dispatches troops by steamer to Haitien seaport.
Special orders.
Commercial.
Reasons for higher prices in Wall street advance with unusual appearance of harmony.
Excitement in wheat pit is bullish and fluctuates nervously within half-cent.

BURBANK PUPILS' MATINEE.

Pupils of the Burbank School of Dramatic Arts gave a matinee performance today at the Burbank Theater, presenting creditably two little one-act comedies by S. Theyre Smith; a musical sketch, "Through the Lines," by Churchill Harvey-Elder and a two-act comedy, "Adventures of a Letter," by J. Palgrave Simpson. A feature was a scene from the third act of "Madame Frou." A few of the youthful performers gave evidence of considerable dramatic ability, and all showed careful and intelligent training. The matinee is under the supervision of Principal Allister Duffield.

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